

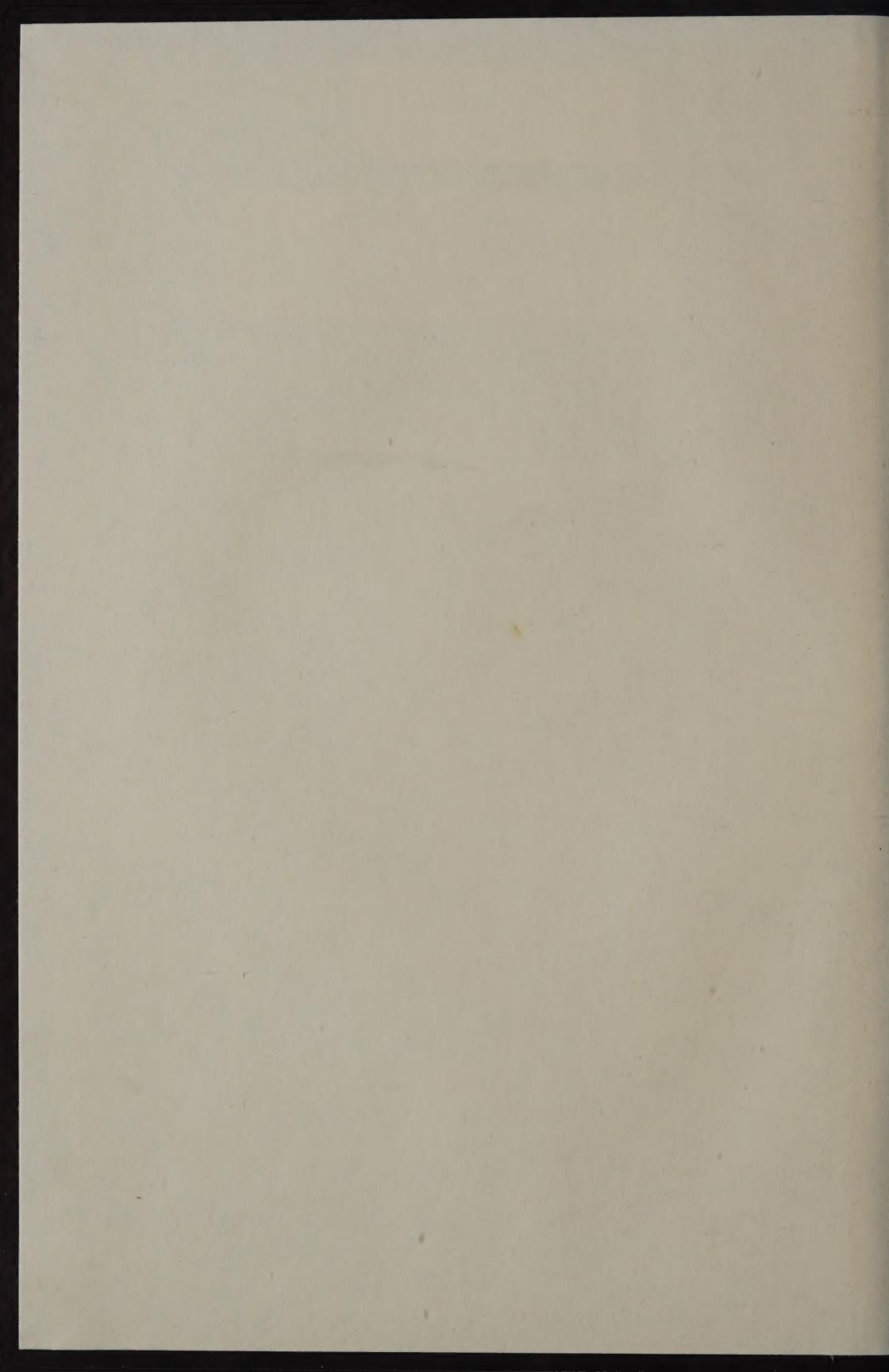
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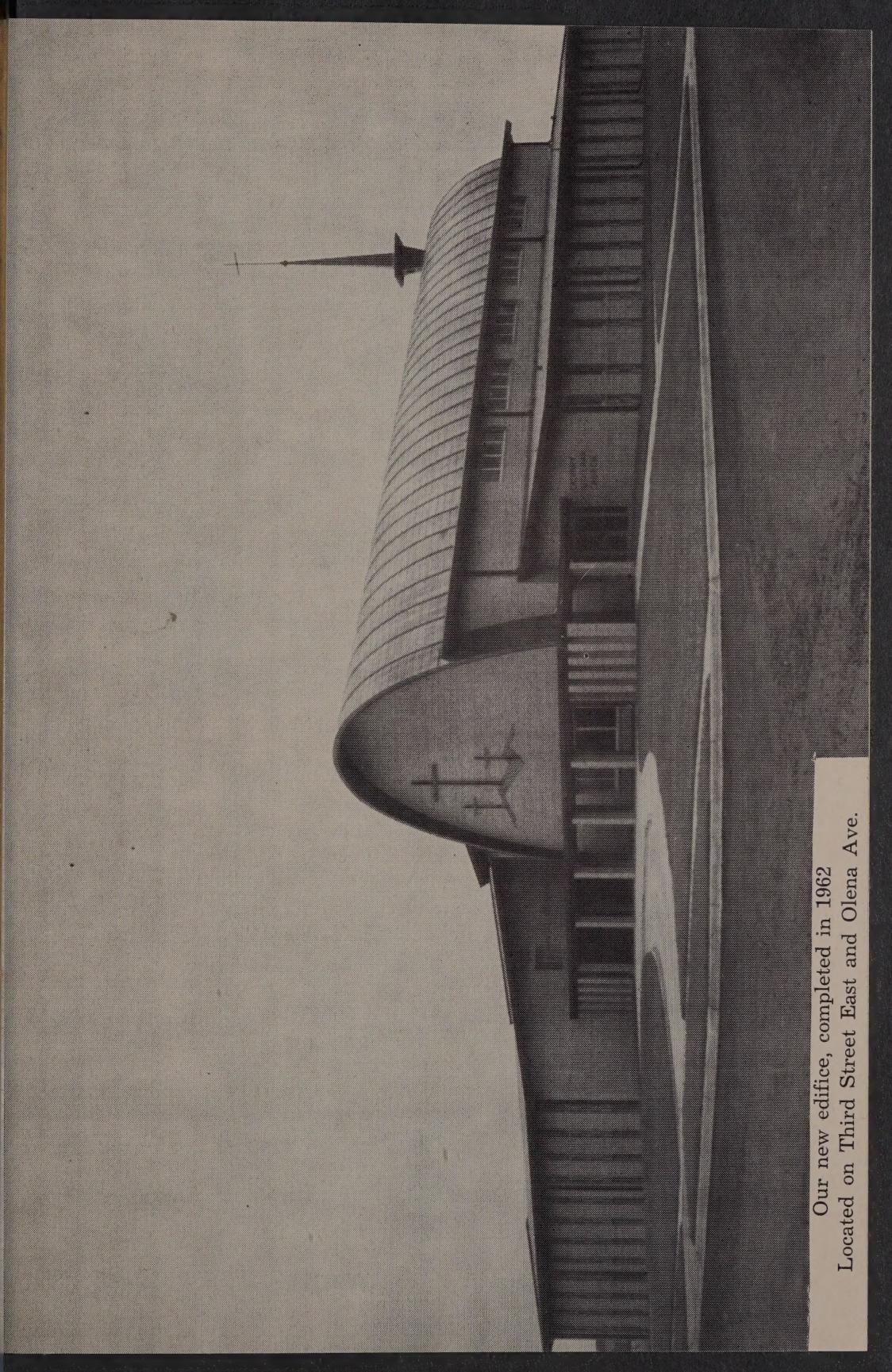
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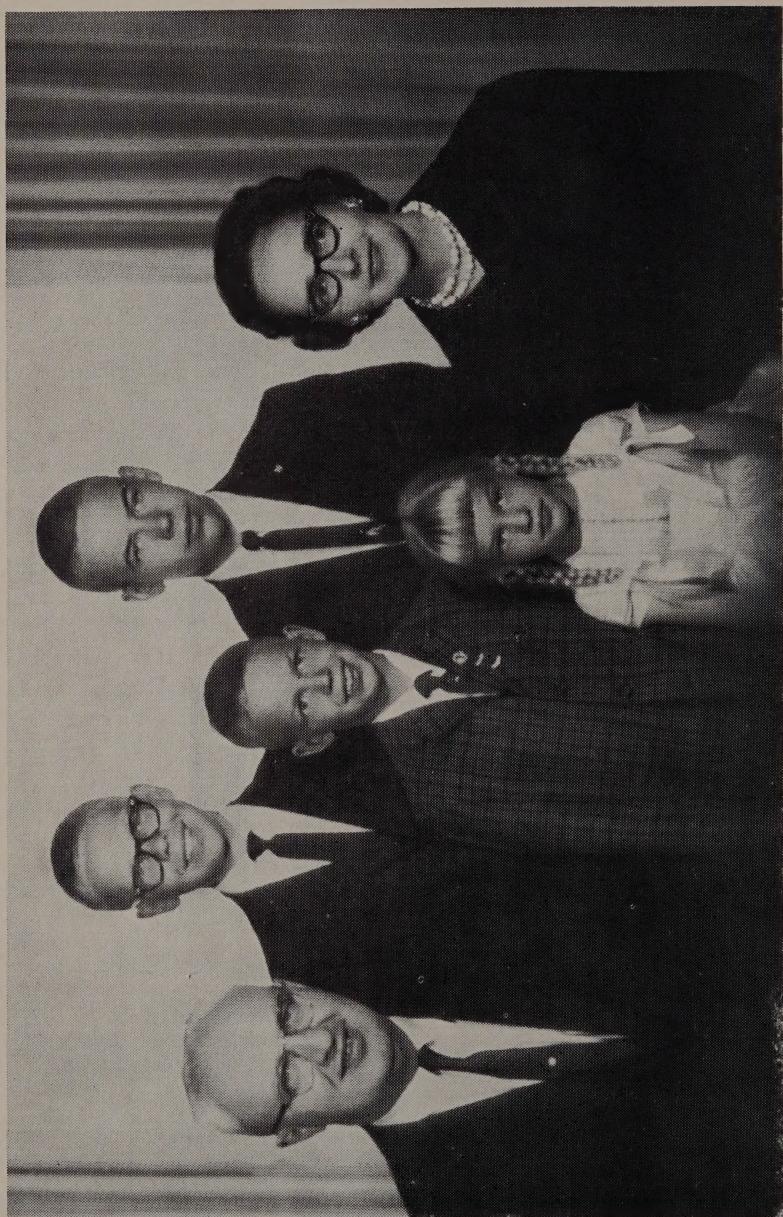


Our Second Church 1903-1962

Dedication

Our 90th Anniversary booklet is dedicated to the founding fathers of our church, and the faithful who have labored through the years. We are thankful to God for the many blessings bestowed on our congregation over these ninety years, culminating in a fine new edifice dedicated Sept. 16, 1962. It is our prayer that future generations will be inspired to continue seeking His Kingdom through the preaching of His Word and the administration of the Sacraments.

The Committee



Pastor and Mrs. Alfred H. Sevig,
Michael, Paul, Daniel and Julie

A Greeting from Our Pastor

Grace and Peace be with you all!

With a two-fold purpose we gather these days at Calvary Lutheran Church. In the first place we are observing the 90th anniversary of our congregation. For 90 years God has permitted men and women to carry on the work of the holy Christian Church in this place. Through the means of grace—Word and Sacraments—God has sought to impart His divine grace to human hearts. In spite of our shortcomings and failures God has abundantly poured out His loving kindness on us. Little children have been grafted into the Kingdom through baptism; children have been taught the Word of truth; young and old have been comforted, guided and directed through the preaching of the Word. Surely His Word will not return void, but shall accomplish what He intends.

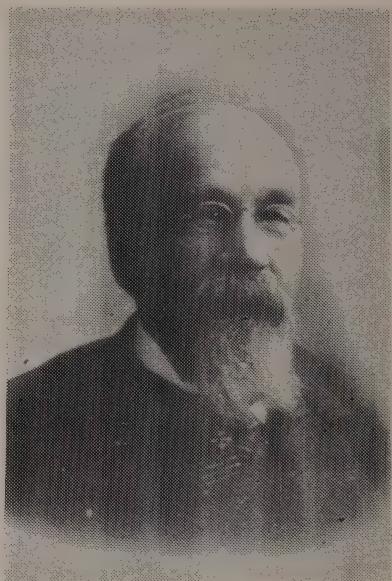
Secondly, we are gathered to dedicate our new church and educational unit. We have been blessed through all these years and those who labored before us have laid a good foundation. To their honor and to the glory of God, our Heavenly Father, the present congregation has erected these new facilities. With grateful hearts for what God has entrusted to us, we gladly dedicate our church and ourselves to the continued growth of His church on earth and the salvation of men everywhere.

Your pastor,
Alfred H. Sevig

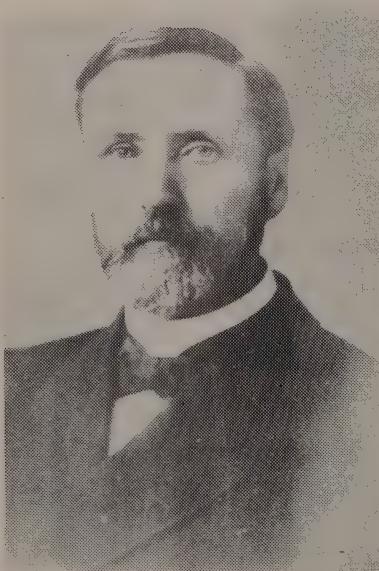
Our Former Pastors



Rev. T. H. Dahl
Organizer, 1872



Rev. Ole Paulson
1874-1885



Rev. Martin H. Hegge
1886-1890



Rev. E. E. Gynild
1891-1905



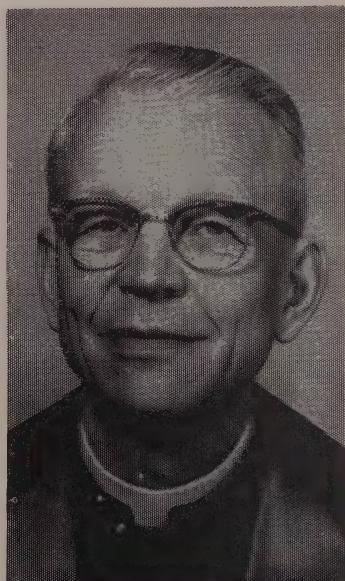
Rev. M. B. Michaelson
1905-1916



Rev. Nicolay Nilsen
1916-1942



Rev. Peder Konsterlie
(Interim Pastor)
1942



Rev. Christian G. Olson
1943-1952

**SONS OF THE CONGREGATION
WHO ARE NOW SERVING
IN THE VINEYARD**



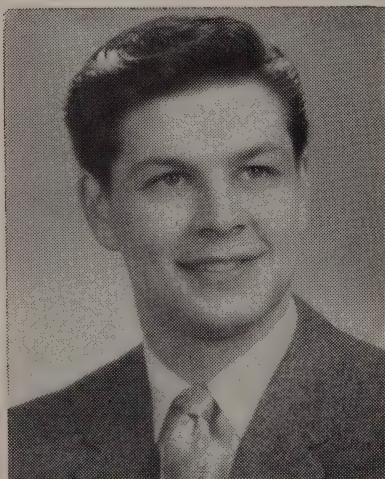
Rev. Emil Kallevig

Now Serving
Trinity Lutheran Church
Enumclaw, Wash.



Rev. LuVerne Nelson

Now Serving
Spring Lake Park
Lutheran Church
Minneapolis, Minn.



Rev. Eugene Anderson

Now Serving
Nymore Lutheran Church
Bemidji, Minn.



Rev. Lloyd Kallevig

Now Serving
Calvary Lutheran Church
Mora, Minn.

Calvary's Ninety Years of Historical Events

1872—Dec. 20, congregation organized through efforts of Rev. T. H. Dahl, the pioneer Conference minister in this county. Name adopted, "The Norwegian-Danish Evangelical Lutheran Church". Iver Olson, Nels Hanson and Dr. Rønning elected as the first deacons. During the first two years services were held in the courthouse and in private homes, and were conducted by visiting pastors, Rev. T. H. Dahl and Rev. O. Paulson.

1873—Sept. 14, first couple married, Peter Wick and Maren C. Hof.

1874—Jan. 26, congregation decided to build a church and incorporation effected on Aug. 20. First board of directors, O. B. Glarum, John Paulson and A. P. Quam. The new church, 40x28x14 feet, located on First St. and Litchfield Ave., was dedicated on the Second Sunday of Advent. Rev. Sven Oftedahl officiated, assisted by Rev. O. Paulson.

Rev. O. Paulson installed as first resident pastor.

April 19, first child baptized, Eli Nilsen. Martin Leaf was the second child baptized on September 6.

1875—November 28, first confirmation with Ingebret Tollefson and Christian C. Birkland as members of the class.

December 30, first funeral that of Petra Augusta Paulson, daughter of Rev. O. Paulson, age 3½ years.

1876—Congregation purchased Lot 4 of Block 46, Village of Willmar, on which they built its first parsonage, a small one story building.

1877—May 21, unanimously resolved to join the "Conference of the Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran Church of America". In June the Willmar church was host to the annual conference of this group, with delegates attending from 221 congregations.

A Sunday School was organized during this year with Torkel Olson and John Olson as the first teachers. Later the congregation was divided into three Sunday School districts—one for the village, one northwest of Foot Lake and one southwest of town. Through the years a large number of consecrated Christian men and women have given generously of their time and efforts in the teaching of our youth. The Sunday School has for many years taken an active part in mission work by contributing to the support of native workers in China and India.

1878—The four-congregation parish at this time had a total of 272 communicant members—Willmar 85 members, St. John's 63 members, Eagle Lake 103 members, and Hardanger 21 members. On Feb. 18 representatives from these congregations met at the home of Rev. Paulson for the purpose of equalizing the share of each congregation in the matter of the pastor's salary, which was \$500.00 a year. Thus, the average contribution per communicant member would be \$1.85 per year and each congregation was assessed accordingly, Willmar congregation's share being \$157.25.

1880—Congregation purchased lot 5 of Block 46 which joined the parsonage lot to the south.

1885—June 26, the "Mands og Kvindforening" (Men's and Ladies' Aid Society) was organized. As the name indicates the membership was open to both men and women, and was organized for the purpose of raising money for the local work as well as missions. (Through the years it has done very fine work, is still an active organization and now supports three native workers in Madagascar. In 1936 the name was changed to "Foreign Mission Society" and since that time has worked mainly for missions.)

Rev. Ole Paulson resigned this year and left Willmar to take up his new work at Blanchardville, Wisconsin.

1886—Rev. Martin H. Hegge installed as pastor.

1887—An addition of 20 feet was built to the church.

Congregation purchased two acres of Sec. 16 of Willmar Twp., west of Willmar, to be used for a cemetery. Another half acre adjoining the first tract was later purchased. This land was platted into lots and sold for \$3.50 each to members and \$5.00 each to non-members.

July 16, The Willmar Sewing Society, which later became The Ladies Aid, was organized with Mrs. Theo. Osmundson as its first president. Early meetings were held in the homes with dues set at ten cents. The Norwegian lan-

guage was used until 1933. It was always the aim and desire of the Ladies Aid to further the work in the Kingdom of God and contributed considerable sums of money to Foreign and Home Missions, and gave financial aid to church schools and charitable institutions of the Lutheran Free Church.

During this year two rural ladies organizations held their first meetings. These organizations "The Willmar Lands' Ladies Aid" and the "Vestre Eagle Lake Kvindeforening" decided in 1921 to join forces and have worked continuously through the years as the "Dovre Ladies Aid." They are still a very active group.

1889—Merger of three synods, Norwegian-Danish Conference, Norwegian Augustana Synod and Anti-Missourian Brotherhood, to form the United Church (Forenede Kirke). On Oct. 22 the local congregation voted to join the United Church.

1890—September 24, Rev. M. H. Hegge resigned to accept call to Brooklyn, N. Y.

1891—Rev. E. E. Gynild installed as pastor

Old parsonage sold and moved away and a new and larger parsonage built on the two lots. (The first parsonage now located on corner of Trott Ave. and Third Street East).

1893—September 1, Willmar congregation resolved by a vote of 31 to 3 to stand by Augsburg, by which act they were separated from the United Lutheran Church, and became a part of the group known as "The Friends of Augsburg." "Bethania", organized in 1893, was originally a girls society, but in 1906 it was changed to a society for all young people and was active for many years as "Bethany Luther League". (Later the name was changed to Calvary Luther League). Through the years it has carried on a very fine program for the youth of the church.

1895—"The Friends of Augsburg" held their annual meeting in Willmar in June. Sessions were held in the old skating rink (located just south of where the Bank of Willmar now stands) with 61 pastors and 419 lay delegates in attendance. Special guest at this meeting was Missionary Skrefsrud of India. An interesting item from the treasurer's report shows a total income for the year of \$343.11 and disbursements of \$319.87.

1896—First choir organized with C. A. Baklund as its director. In the early years the audience was led in the singing of the hymns by a "Klokker" or cantor. Over these many years, the church choirs under various directors, have contributed much to the worship services.

1897—The "minority" group adopted a constitution and the name of "The Lutheran Free Church", of which organization the Willmar congregation became a part.

25th anniversary of congregation was observed.

1900—Question of building a new church discussed. Committee to solicit funds for new church were: Erick Holt, S. S. Glarum, Martinus Hanson, E. E. Gynild and Ole R. Sletten.

1901—Congregation entertained the annual meeting of the Lutheran Free Church, sessions being held in the hall of the Willmar Seminary. Among those consecrated to the ministry at this conference was Nicolay Nilsen, who later became the pastor of the congregation.

1903—Work on the new church was started in the spring and finished before Thanksgiving. Cornerstone laid June 20th. First service Oct. 18th, when a class of 30 members was confirmed. Rev. I. Tollefson of New York preached the sermon. Open-house on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 26th. Dinner served at noon to 500 people. The first wedding in the new church was that of Hans Magnus Sletten and Inga Newman on Oct. 31st. Total cost of church \$12,054.97.

The Hardanger Lutheran Congregation, organized in 1870 and located in Whitefield Township, had for many years been associated in a four-point parish with the Willmar church. In 1903, the membership having dwindled considerably, they decided to merge with the Willmar congregation.

1904—Jan. 1, indebtedness on church \$3,440.58. New seats purchased in 1904, bringing the total cost of the church up to about \$13,000. New church dedicated on June 21st. Prof Sven Oftedahl delivered dedicatory sermon.

1905—Entertained national convention of the Lutheran Free Church, with 330 delegates present.

Rev. E. E. Gynild resigned and gave his farewell sermon on Nov. 26th. Rev.

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Gynild at that time accepted a call to serve the Eagle Lake congregation and Bethesda Homes.

Dec. 3, Rev. M. B. Michaelson installed, Rev. Gynild officiating.

1906—Jan. 17th, reception for Rev. Michaelson and his family.

Willmar considered as a possible site for Oak Grove Seminary and a lot of work in connection with this was put in by Rev. Michaelson. However, Willmar lost out on its bid for the school and it was built at Fargo.

In November the annual meeting of the Home and Foreign Mission Board of the Lutheran Free church was held at Willmar.

1907—Church interior decorated, contract price \$600.00.
Death of Rev. Paulson, the first resident pastor of congregation. Laid to rest at Eagle Lake Cemetery.

1908—Special event at January congregational meeting was the paying up of last vestige of church debt.

1909—25th anniversary of Mands og Kvindforening observed. Free-will offering to Bethesda Homes.
In the fall the Lutheran Free Church National Convention for Young People was held at Willmar.

1911—Entertained annual National Convention of Lutheran Free Church. Meetings held at the Willmar Assembly Park Auditorium, with 500 delegates present.

1912—Feb. 14th, Dorcas Society organized at parsonage with Mrs. M. B. Michaelson as hostess. The "Dorcas Hjalpeforening" was the name adopted, the main purpose of the society being to help those in need, and especially with sewing for the Bethesda Homes. According to the records of the society 604 garments and 28 quilts were made during the first six years. The first president was Mrs. O. P. Rice.

40th anniversary of congregation observed. Former pastors Hegge and Gynild were present.

1915—New Kilgan Pipe Organ installed in church and dedicated Sept. 30, with Prof. F. Melius Christiansen as guest organist. (Prior to this time a reed organ had been used). The young people of the church worked faithfully to raise money to help finance the purchase of the new organ.

1916—Entertained national conference of Lutheran Free Church, with meetings at Park Auditorium. Special feature,—visit of Missionary P. O. Bodding, Santalistan, India.

Rev. M. B. Michaelson resigned and preached farewell sermon on Sept. 13th.
Rev. Nicolay Nilsen installed on November 1st.

1917—Ladies Aid presented church with two door lights.

1918—The Men's Chorus was reorganized by Rev. N. Nilsen and he continued as its director until his death in 1942. (The chorus had been organized during the time Rev. Michaelson served the congregation but was not continuously active. The present director of the chorus is Julian Framstad.)

1919—Dec. 22nd, Bishop Bernt Stoylen of Norway was a guest speaker. Bishop Stoylen had represented the Church of Norway at the 50th Jubilee Celebration of Augsburg Seminary. He was accompanied to Willmar by Rev. J. Mattson, Pres. of the Lutheran Free Church, and they were guests at the home of Rev. N. Nilsen.

Congregation honored its World War I service men. Service flag contained 39 stars.

1921—Ludvig Hope, prominent and well-known evangelist and author from Norway, was guest speaker at a series of meetings Nov. 15-20.
Modern heating plan installed in parsonage.

The Lutheran Free Church established a Bible School in Willmar, purchasing for the sum of \$9,500.00 the Seminary property, located in the north part of Willmar, to be used for this school. Rev. B. P. Farness and Prof. M. C. Dixon arrived in Willmar as teachers at the school; became members of our congregation, and contributed greatly to the work of our church. (The Bible School at Willmar was discontinued in 1927 at which time a Bible course department was established at Oak Grove High School, Fargo.)

1922—This year marked the 50th anniversary of congregation but no special observance was held.

In November the 2nd annual convention of the Young People Federation of

the Lutheran Free Church was held at Willmar. Bethany Young People's Society joined the Federation at this time.

1925—Interior of church redecorated—ceiling white, walls green. Pews and wood-work varnished.

1926—700 delegates attended the National Convention of the Lutheran Free Church held at Willmar in June. Meetings were held at the Park Auditorium.

1927—The Ladies Guild was organized in February under the leadership of Mrs. Nicolay Nilsen. First president, Mrs. M. C. Nelson. The activities of the organization were many, outstanding among them being: preparation and publication of three cook books, the first in 1929, the second in 1939 and the last one in 1946; presentation of Bibles to confirmands each year; gift of \$1000.00 to the Organ Fund (in 1945); sponsors of Girl Scout and Brownie troops; contributions to church and parsonage improvements; donations to missions and charities.

1928—July 13, death of Rev. E. E. Gynild. Funeral services were conducted at the Willmar church and he was laid to rest in the Eagle Lake Cemetery. In September Mrs. Nicolay Nilsen passed away and was laid to rest in the church cemetery.

1930—The third and present parsonage built at a cost of \$10,227.25. The old parsonage was sold and is now located on the lot south of the present parsonage.

1932—60th anniversary of congregation observed Dec. 30, 31 and Jan. 1, 1933. Former pastor M. B. Michaelson was present and also Rev. C. M. Tollefson, a former member. Other prominent guests were Dr. T. O. Burntvedt, Pres. of the Lutheran Free Church, and Prof. G. Sverdrup, Pres. of Augsburg College. Sunday dinner served by the Ladies Aid.

1933—Entertained annual National Convention of Lutheran Free Church, with part of sessions held in Bethel and Vinje churches. Oct. 11, Men's Brotherhood organized with LeRoy Johnson as its first president. Activities include the sponsoring of Boy Scout and Cub Pack Troops, purchasing piano for Bethesda Old People's Home and the installation of hearing aids and a Public Address system in the church auditorium.

1934—Feb. 17, The Willing Workers Junior Mission Group organized, with Mrs. H. O. Halvorsen and Miss Adeline Erickson as leaders. Membership included children from third grade to confirmation age, the purpose of society being to awaken interest in Home and Foreign Missions. (The organization was discontinued in 1937 at which time it presented to the Sunday School a sectional bookcase to be used for the Memorial Library). May 31, Boy Scout Troop No. 224 organized, Malvin B. Westphal elected the first Scoutmaster. Much interest has been shown in scouting and we have been fortunate in having fine leadership.

1936—The construction of the Highway No. 71 bridge made it necessary to close the two basement entrances on the west side of the church. A damage settlement of \$5000 was made with the city. New front steps and new basement entrances made. Church basement completely remodeled to provide more room for Sunday School and better kitchen facilities. Also new heating plant installed.

1937—Feb. 1, Dorcas Auxiliary was organized. This was a society for girls and young women of the church. They assisted with the work carried on by the Dorcas Society and other local projects. For many years they furnished the Sunday Church bulletins and also purchased a new typewriter and mimeograph machine for the church office.

1938—Church auditorium and church basement redecorated and remodeled at a cost of about \$8000.00. Oct. 20-23, the 18th Annual Convention of the Luther League Federation held in Willmar.

1941—In September an all day festival observance was held honoring Rev. Nicolay Nilsen on the 25th anniversary of his pastorate of the Willmar and St. John's congregations. Fellowship dinner at noon.

1942—Early in year, due to illness, Rev. Nilsen was granted a leave-of-absence. He passed away at Mankato on May 22 and was laid to rest in the church cemetery on May 26th. During his illness and after his death (until the arrival of Rev. C. G. Olson) congregation was served by Rev. Peder Konsterlie and Rev. M. A. Helland as interim pastors, assisted by neighboring pastors and special guest speakers.

1943—Jan. 22, at regular annual meeting, congregation voted to change name to "Calvary Lutheran Church". It was also decided to discontinue the use of the Norse language at all morning services.

Feb. 7, Rev. C. G. Olson installed as pastor, Dr. T. O. Burntvedt, officiating.

Mar. 14, Calvary Service Flag containing 94 stars was dedicated.

Dec. 19, The Sunshine Group, originally one of the groups of the Ladies Guild, was reorganized, with Mrs. Thom Nelson as its first president. This organization contributed toward parsonage and church improvements and also to community charities.

1944—By vote of congregation the Lutheran Messenger was placed in the homes of all members.

Miss Adeline Erickson employed as a part time parish secretary.

May 6, Calvary Mission Band organized, with Mrs. J. C. Anderson as its first leader. This was a youth organization for boys and girls, ages 8 to 12, its aim being to teach the children about Home and Foreign Missions of our Church. (Mrs. Olaf Hovseth took over the leadership in 1945 and it continued until about 1957).

In June the Lutheran Free Church Annual Conference was held in Willmar, with some of the sessions at the Bethel, Vinje and Presbyterian churches.

Oct. 21, Girl Scout Troop No. 6 organized and officially registered. A Brownie Pack was also organized this year and both troops were sponsored by the Ladies Guild. (Since 1958 the Girl Scouts and Brownies from our congregation have been members of the Public School Troops.)

1945—Jan. 30, reports at annual congregational meeting showed congregation was without church debt and that a Church Improvement Fund had been started. A bequest of \$3000.00 from the Estate of Edwin W. Stenson added materially to this fund.

M. C. Nelson resigned as church secretary after serving continuously for 25 years.

May 30, Memorial Day, a monument was dedicated at the graves of Rev. and Mrs. Nicolay Nilsen.

Church service flag contained 144 blue stars and 8 gold stars.

Dec. 31, total church membership 860.

1946—The constitution and by-laws of the congregation, having been translated from the Norwegian language, revised and amended, were adopted at the annual meeting in January.

New oil burner heating plant installed in parsonage at a cost of \$911.42.

1947—Nov. 15 and 16, 75th Anniversary of congregation observed. Guest speakers, Dr. T. O. Burntvedt, Pres. of Lutheran Free Church, ad Rev. Peder Konsterlie, Sec. of the Board of Missions. Other special guests were Rev. Emil Kallevig and Rev. Laverne Nelson, sons of the congregation. A well attended banquet on Saturday evening at the City Auditorium was served by the St. John's Ladies Aid. Sunday noon a fellowship dinner was served in the church parlors.

1948—In June our congregation was for the tenth time the host to an annual conference, having entertained the Lutheran Free Church Annual Conference eight times since its organization in 1897, and two other conferences prior to that time. This was the last time the Lutheran Free Church Annual Conference was held in our church. A large number of delegates were present.

In September Miss Helen Peterson was installed as a full-time parish secretary and she served until September 1950.

Chapel Choir organized under direction of Miss Doris Larson.

New choir gowns purchased for Senior Choir.

Constitution and by-laws amended to provide for the election of a chairman of the congregation. Roy Carlson was elected as the first chairman of the church.

1949—Due to the continual growth of Calvary congregation it had been felt for some time that the full time services of a pastor were needed. After proper negotiations had been made we severed our parish connections with the St. John's Church on Aug. 1, thus ending a 77-year affiliation with this congregation as to pastoral services.

Beginning in September two sessions of Sunday School and two worship services were conducted each Sunday at 9:30 and 11:00 A.M.

The "Sunbeam Choir" for children in grades 4 through 6 was organized.

A Junior Luther League for grades 7 and 8 was also organized.

1950—Five ladies organizations, namely, Ladies Guild, Sunshine Group, Dorcas Auxiliary, Dorcas Society, and Ladies Aid, were reorganized into one large organization to be known as the "Calvary Ladies Aid". This new organization took on all the projects previously carried on individually by the merging groups. In addition to the monthly meetings the members are divided into circles which meet in the homes. The ladies of the church have worked faithfully and willingly and have given financial support to every phase of church work, including Home and Foreign Missions. Among major projects carried on by the aid mention should be made of the annual County Fair food stand, 17th of May festival program, the fall Mission Worship and Offering Festival, and the continuation of the cook book project started by the Ladies Guild. (5000 copies of "Parish Pantry", published in 1955, were sold, and the new "Calvary Parish Pantry", published in 1961, of which 7000 copies were printed, is on sale at the present time.)

April 18, death of K. T. Rykken, beloved layman, who worked so faithfully and contributed much to our congregation.

Dec. 31, total church membership 1170.

1951—Mrs. H. P. Hansen honored for 25 years of continuous service as organist of Calvary church.

1952—After serving better than nine years, Rev. C. G. Olson resigned, effective July 1, and accepted a call to Lakeridge Lutheran Church, Seattle.

Oct. 19, Rev. A. H. Sevig installed. Rev. C. J. Carlsen officiating.

A Sunday School annex was built at a cost of \$13,500.00, which was financed by \$6000.00 from the Building Fund and the balance by gifts and contributions by organizations and members.

A "mother room" was added to the church auditorium and a public address system installed by the Men's Brotherhood.

1954—Nov. 16, Couples' Club organized. Membership open to all married couples who feel they would have an interest in the educational programs and the Christian fellowship of this group.

1955—Congregation met at a special meeting and voted against merger negotiations by a vote of 107 to 32.

July 15, Miss Donna Lindseth began her work as a full time parish secretary. She served until July 1, 1956.

Parsonage kitchen remodeled at a cost of \$2673.25.

New piano purchased for church auditorium.

Dec. 31, Church membership: Baptized 1240. Confirmed 812.

1957—Congregation purchased a block of land (3.14 acres) located in the southeastern part of city, for the sum of \$6280.00.

Nov. 13, Calvary congregation voted against the merger proposal for a second time by a vote of 107 to 55.

1958—Congregation voted to relocate and build new church on property previously purchased.

Sept. 15, Miss Dorothy Mattison commenced her work as parish secretary.

1959—Congregation voted to award scholarships of \$100.00 each to church members attending Augsburg College and Seminary.

Firm of Armstrong and Schlichting selected as architects for new church.

1960—The Calvary Altar Guild was organized in January, under the leadership and direction of the pastor, Rev. A. H. Sevig, for the purpose of caring for the sanctuary and its furnishings. The Guild consists of 24 members.

In February a Building Fund inathering was launched for the securing of gifts and pledges for the 3-year period of 1960-1961-1962. Northwest Counselors of Minneapolis had been engaged to assist in this work.

Dec. 31, Church membership: Baptized 1390, confirmed 910

Sunday School enrollment 475

Amount in Building Fund, \$144,553.00

Amount in Organ Fund, \$5,172.00

1961—In January a bus was purchased for the sum of \$350.00 to be used by all organizations of the church.

An additional block of land, located immediately east of the new church site, purchased for the sum of \$10,500.00.

Feb. 28, Opening of bids for new church construction.

March 10, Awarding of contracts to the following contractors: Nelson Construction Co., Willmar, General Contract; Herb Johnson Plumbing Co., St.

Cloud, Mechanical Contract; Willmar Electric Co., Willmar, Electrical Contract.

March 26th, Ground breaking service for new church and construction started shortly thereafter. Cornerstone Laying services were held on Dec. 10th.

Nov. 5, a third referendum vote on merging with the American Lutheran Church was held and this time Calvary voted in favor by a vote of 203 to 160.

1962—This has truly been a history making year for Calvary Congregation.

Our new church sanctuary and educational unit has been completed at a total cost of slightly over \$500,000.00 This includes the pews and a Moeller Pipe Organ.

May 13, Mother's Day, was a day of much rejoicing when we held our first services in the new church, with capacity audiences at both 9:30 and 11:00 o'clock. Four children were baptized that day: Scott Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merland Holmgren, Robyn Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arland Gilbertson, Paul Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marlow Norum, and Jon Horace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merton Reese.

June 9, first wedding, that of Dennis Huggett and Sharon Felton.

June 10, Pentecost Sunday, First confirmation in new church, class of 38 members.

On July 1, Mr. David Christensen joined church staff as a lay assistant.

July 11, First funeral, that of Charles Anderson, age 79.

Aug. 5, open house attended by more than 1000 members and friends. Refreshments served by the ladies of the church.

Sept. 14, 15 and 16, 90th Anniversary Observance and Dedication of new church.

Present church membership: 1470 Baptized; 990 confirmed; about 500 families.

Present Sunday School enrollment 470.

After 90 years Calvary Congregation is today worshipping in a beautiful new church building, located on a site, which, back in 1872, was a part of the farm owned by O. B. Glarum, one of the charter members of the congregation.



MANDS OF KVINDE FORENING -- Early 1900's

Back row from left—Benjamin Greenfield, Ole Gilbertson, Nels Peterson, Elling Ellingson, Martin Olson, Isaac J. Bassboe, Ole Jacobson, Lars Tindahl, Gilbert Sand, Mrs. John Berg, John Berg, Sam Rasmussen, Mrs. Sam Rasmussen, Ole Olson, Ellef Abrahamsen, Martinus Hanson.

Middle Row—Mrs. Elling Ellingson, Mrs. Benjamin Greenfield, John Johnson, Edward Borgan, Mrs. Edward Borgan, Frank Ledell, Mrs. Anna Finberg, Mathea Johnson, John Sogge, Ole Glarum, Peter Berg, P. P. Lilligaarden, S. S. Glarum, Halvor Shipstead.

Front Row—Mrs. S. E. Magnusson, Mary Wigdahl, Mrs. Christ Peterson, Christ Peterson, Mrs. S. L. Jorstad, S. L. Jorstad, Mrs. M. B. Michaelson, Rev. M. B. Michaelson, Mrs. Peter Rasmussen, Peter Rasmussen, Mrs. Peter Berg, Elizabeth Christianson, Mrs. Ole Glarum, Mrs. S. S. Glarum, Mrs. Halvor Shipstead, Mrs. Charles Dalien.

An Interesting Letter In Norse

The following letter was written by Rev. O. Paulson in 1897 on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the congregation, and is herewith reproduced as it appeared in its original form.

Lidt Menigheds Historie

Til Willmar Menighed.

Dyrebare Brødre og Søstre i Herren:

Det Havde Været mig en hjertelig Glæde at deltage i Willmar Menigheds 25 Aars Jubelium, men Herren vilde det anderledes. Jeg Modtog først eders venlige indbydelse ved eders kjære Præst. Men ved nermere overveielse tilk jeg saa meget imod at reise saa lige ind under Jul, saa meget mere som jeg var slemt forkjølet, at jeg gav Past. Gynild afslag og bad ham holde mig undskydt. I midlertid udviklede Forkjølelsen sig til en ondartet Bronkit, saa at jeg for nærverende er aldeles ubrugelig. Jeg følte det paa mig at det var min pligt som Menighedens første bosiddende Præst, at skrive en liden historisk Fremstilling af Menigheds arbeidet i Willmar de første ti, tolv aar af dens Tilverelse.

Byen Willmar og Menigheden er næsten lige gamle. Byen og Menigheden har forholdsvis holdt Skridt med hinanden hvad den ydre væxt angaaer.

Jeg kan desværre ikke sige hvem som har organiseret Menigheden, men jeg har en dunkel Forestilling, om, at det maatte have været Pastor O. Hanson, ogsaa kaldtes Rostad, som den gang var Præst i Meeker Co. Kaldet. Jeg har ialfald ingen Erindring om at Menigheden blev organiseret af mig. Paa antaget Kald fra de fire Menigheder, som endnu udgjør Willmar Kaldet tilflyttede jeg og Familie til Willmar i Førstningen af Juli maaned 1874. Inden den tid havde jeg nu og da imellem besøgt Menighedene med Præken og Ministerielle Foreninger. Strax efter den store Blizzard i Februar 1874 var jeg der i besøg. Jeg husker endnu saa vel hvilket Indtryk jeg fig af en Landsmand, som laa nede i byen med afskaarne Ben.

Parochialrapporten for 1874 utviser de konfirmerede medlemmers antal i hele kaldet at have været omkring 200. Af disse havde Willmar Menighed paa sin del 28 medlemmer. Parochial Rapporten for aaret iforveien er ikke rigtig. Da undertegnede tilflyttede Kaldet bestod Willmar menighed af 9 tildels smaa famelier. Nu er Willmar Menighed om-trent dobbelt saa stor som hele Kaldet var den gang, og Eagle Lake Menighed har idag alene saa mange Mennesker som alle fire in 1874. Vi var ikke blot faa men fattige i de dage. Der var kun et par mand her i Willmar some havde en Smule Mammon; ellers var de andre Nybegyndere og Nysetttere. Naar jeg tænker tilbage pa den tid og de Forholde og sammenligner dem med vore Forholde, saa maa jeg forundre mig over, at vi kunde lægge ived med saa skrøbelige Fremtidsudsigter. I de dage Kjendte vi ikke til Indremissionkassen af hvilke man kunde vente Hjælp; hver maatte "Paddle his own canoe". Sagen er den: Der var tro, haab og kjærlighed i hjerterne. Vi var ikke vant ved store Ting. Menighederne var smaa og fatige. Præsterne smaa og ringe, det paste saa godt sammen. Naar Menighederne blir store og fede, saa maa de have Præster efter sit ege Hjerte. Alting maa være stort. Der var ingen kirker i kaldet uden den lille loghytten ved Eagle Lake. I Willmar

holdtes Gudstjenesterne i det stygge urene Courthus. Det var næsten at miste Pusten naar man om Søndog morgen kom ind i dette Rettens Sted at holde Gudstjeneste. Gulvet glinsede af Tobakspyt og Tobaksaus og Stanken var næsten uudholdelig. Men i havde intet andet valg, vi maatte finde os i det og takke til. Imidlertig bidrog dette mere end noget andet at vi saasnart fik Kirke i byen. Det er gaaet mig af Hukommelsen naar vi egently begyndte paa Kirken, men allerede i 1875 havde vi kirken i brug. Kirken var pen men inredningen svært simpel, stygge umalede Bænker, Predikestol grovt sammentømret, overtrukket med tøi. Prof. Oftedal med min assistance indviede den. Vore Venner af andre Leire misundte os et saa stort et Tempel.

Fattige var vi før, men fattigere skulle vi blive ved Græshopper hjemsøgelsen 1876 of 1877. Disse smaa Plagedyr levnede intet i to paa hinanden følgende aar, men forterrede alt som voksede paa jorden med undtagelse af grønt paa Prarien. Agrene stood om Høsten lige-saa svarte som om vaaren da sæden var saaet. Man havde intet at æde og intet at kjøbe for. Hvordan vi tog os ud var en gaade, men vi levede og ingen led Nød. Det merkeligste af alt var ingen klagede. Gudstjenster kunne vi have naarsomhelst. Søndag eller Sognedag. Næsten alle blev mer eller mindre religiøse.

Midt i denne Hjemsøgelse indbød vi Aarsmødet til Willmar. Presterne og delegaterne blev forbløffet da den kom og fik se Tilstanden. Der var intet grønt at se end gresset paa prairien. Der blev Neringsorg hos mange. Hvad Skulle vi æde og drikke og hvormed skulle vi klæde os? —sukkede vist mange af de fremmede, men vi som vare gamle og vane tog Sagerne med ro og gav de fremmede alt de kunn fortære. Jg havde henimod 20 jester i mit hus, men vi følte vist ikke hungerens hare kvaler i den dage, og saaledes var det i alle andre huser.

Pengeindsamlinger til Augsburg. Der var flere allerede i min tid her i Menigheden. Jeg husker ikke alle ei heller husker jeg Beløbene, som blev samlet, men det husker jeg at Willmar har Tusener af Dollars liggende i Augsburg. I de dage, da den gamle Retning fandt sig kaldet at slaa os mod med Hensyn til indsamlingen til Fondet, da gik den, den gang lille Menighed i spidsen for indsamlingen. Menighedens Indsamlingskomite holdt møde i Præstens Kontor før de gik ud til andre og subskriberede \$1000 sig imellem. Hvad man end maatte have at sige om Willmar Menighed, saa kan man ikke fratauge dem den ros at den har været fuldtud Augsburg venlig. Men saa har den faaet af Svøben for sin Halstarrighed. Om jeg ikke husker feil, saa blev de udstødt af Synagogen.

Mands ok Kvindeforening. I de gamle gode dage, da der altid var mangel i Kassererens kasse, det var med denne kasse næsten som det er med en vis sæk som har hul i bunden. Vi prøvde alle mulige midler med samme uheld, det vilde ikke gaa. En dag som vi sad i kirken og samtalede over dette Kildne Emne var der ensom foreslog at der organiseres en Mands og Kvinde forening. Forslaget vedtages med stor Begeistring. Det blev et velsignet vendepunkt i Menighedens Historie. Foreningen har arbeidet til usigelig megen velsignelse for Menigheden.

Det er ikke overalt man kan holde Bønnemøder fordi man mangler dem som kan optræde offentlig i en Forsamling. Jeg havde den store Glæde at faa inagureret regelmessige. Bønnemøder førend jeg reiste herfra. Disse møder fortsetter endnu kun med flere og større kræfter.

Studenter. Dette kald begyndte strax jer var kommen herop at benytte sig af studenter i deres sommerferier til Religionskol of Gudsords forknydlse. Jeg er overbevist om at Menighederne bare har havt Velsignelse af denne ordning.

Jeg er ikke færdig med mine bemerkninger, men maa slutte, da Brevet maa i Posten. Dette er skrevet i hast og med ustø haand. Kjære Venner, vær forvissede om at jeg og familie har eder i kjær erdindring. Modtag vor hjerteligste Hilsen. Herren velsigne eder og lade den kommende tid være ligesa velsignet som den forbgangne.

Eders i Kristi Forbundne,

O. Paulson.

(A translation of Rev. Paulson's letter by Mrs. M. B. Hanson)

A LITTLE CONGREGATIONAL HISTORY TO THE WILLMAR PARISH

Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord:

To me it would have been a great joy and a very special privilege to attend your Twenty-fifth Anniversary of the Willmar Congregation, but God wanted it otherwise. I received the invitation from your Pastor, but upon close consideration I began to think how difficult it would be for me to accept, as it was so near to Christmas, and I was also suffering from a cold infection which developed into bronchitis, therefore I asked Rev. Gynild to excuse me since I was definitely unable to attend.

I felt, however, that because I was the first residential Pastor of this congregation it was my duty to write a history of the work and progress during the first ten or twelve years.

The City of Willmar and our congregation are about the same age, and have kept pace with each other as far as outward progress is concerned. I hesitate to say, however, who organized this congregation, but I have a faint recollection that it must have been Pastor O. Hanson, also called Rostad, who served as Pastor in the Meeker County Congregation. I have, however, no reason to think that I was instrumental in this effort of organization. Upon call from the four congregations, which still constitute the Willmar District, I prepared to take my family along and moved to Willmar in July of 1874. Before that time I had served these congregations and performed Ministerial duties now and then quite frequently.

Soon after the great blizzard in February 1874, I visited this locality again and I still remember the impression I received from a countryman who was bedridden, having lost both of his lower limbs.

The records for 1874 showed around two-hundred confirmed members in the whole district. The Willmar congregation claimed twenty-eight members of this number as their own. The church record for the previous year showed a total of nine small families. At the present time the Willmar Congregation has doubled the total of the four congregations, and today Eagle Lake Congregation alone numbers as many as the four congregations totaled in 1874. We were not only a few mem-

bers, but just as poor financially speaking. There were only a few men here in Willmar who had any money. The rest of them were pioneers and settlers, and I often compare those days with today, when we have been blessed so bountifully and wonder how we could at that time progress and move forward as well as we did.

We then had no Home Mission Fund to give us a boost, but each had to "paddle his own canoe." We did have "Faith, Hope and Charity" in our hearts. We were not used to having big things. The congregations were small and poor. The ministers were sincere and optimistic and these situations went hand in hand. When congregations become great and prosperous, then they require Pastors with similar attitudes. Everything must be great.

There was no church edifice in any of the congregations except for a log cabin in the Eagle Lake congregation. In Willmar, church services were held in the tacky looking and unclean Courthouse, and it became very difficult to have our services in this court room filled with debris and stench from tobacco spit on the floor—but we had to make the best of it and be thankful. This made it imperative that we build a church in Willmar. I am unable to say just when we entered upon this task, but we built a church and were using it in 1875. It was a pretty church but very simple. The pews were roughly built and unpainted. The pulpit was built from crude lumber and was covered on the outside with cloth.

Professor Oftedal, with my assistance, dedicated our little church. A few of our friends from neighboring parishes envied our huge Temple. We were very poor and our means were extremely limited and becoming more so, as the Grasshopper plague returned in 1876-1877. These insects with strong legs and wings for jumping, devoured and destroyed every form of vegetation for two succeeding years, with the exception of a little green on the prairies. The cultivated land was as black in the fall of the year as in the spring before seeding and planting. We had nothing to eat, and nothing with which to buy. I have often been puzzled when I think of the predicament, but we lived on and no one complained, which was almost unbelievable.

In the midst of this difficult situation, we invited the Annual-Meeting to come to Willmar. The Pastors and Delegates were astonished to learn of our plight, and wondered how they would fare here, but we had learned to accept our trials and took good care of our guests, and we were happy to share our mutual trust and feelings with them.

Soliciting Funds for Augsburg

Several people were chosen to do this. I do not remember who they were or how much money they were able to get, but this I know—that the Willmar Congregation invested thousands of dollars in Augsburg. Later, as they needed more, the little Willmar Congregation came to their rescue, and the standing committee raised \$1,000.00 among themselves as they gathered in the Pastor's Study to take over and perform this designated task.

Men's and Ladies' Society

In the good old days there was always a need for money in the treasury, as if there were a hole in the bottom of the sack. One day as

we continued to study this situation, one man made a motion that we try to organize a Men's and Ladies' Society. This motion was passed and accepted with great enthusiasm and became a turning point and great blessing to the whole congregation.

Prayer Meetings

These meetings were not well attended because many would hesitate to pray in public. But I had the great joy of establishing regular prayer meetings before I left this Congregation. These meetings still continue with greater and more strength and many blessings.

Students

Shortly after I came here this congregation invited students to come here during their summer vacation periods. They taught parochial school and assisted at church meetings and this became an asset to the congregation.

I have not finished my attempt at giving this little history of the Willmar Congregation, but must put this letter in the mail. This is written hastily and with an unsteady hand.

Dear Friends, believe me, we do greatly esteem and cherish the memory of our work in your midst. The Lord Bless you all, and may you continue in good Faith in the future as you have done in the past.

Yours in Christ.

O. Paulson

The following have served as Officers of our church

DEACONS

Iver Olson	I. Bassebo	Ole Rykken
Nils Hanson	John Sogge	H. C. Nelson
Dr. Ronning	Ole Gilbertson	Mandius Pederson
John Olson	Sivert Johannesson	Nels J. Nelson
Torkil Olson	E. Abrahamsen	J. H. Nordby
Ole Tollefson	O. N. Elgeraas	Ingvald Rykken
O. N. Elgeross	H. Shipstead	J. F. Pederson
Thomas Osmundson	P. Lillegaarden	H. O. Halvovrson
F. A. Anderson	K. T. Rykken	Casper Johnson
N. G. Olson	S. Rasmussen	Thor Kallevig
Brede Olson	C. Tommeraasen	Roy M. Carlson
Bjorn Aslakson	E. Kallevig	John Anderson
Gregor Hanson	Peder Fostervold	Nick Nelson
Elling Ellingson	Ludwig Olson	Malvin Westphal
Anders Johnson	S. G. Svensrud	Olav Buer
Frederick Syverson	William Knutson	Vernon Larson
G. C. Haines	Chas. Nelson	Joseph Hansen
Ole Aslakson	Sigvert Reierson	Olaf Hovseth
I. C. Halland	Elling Aplewick	Bernard Steigerwald
Johannes Rasmussen	N. J. Peterson	Alf Pederson
A. O. Borgan	Andrew Melhus	Lester McClain
Israel Pederson	B. P. Farnes	O. Arne Holt
Daniel Mikkelsen	B. O. Olson	Alford Eliason
Ellef Birkeland	M. C. Tommeraasen	Joe Nilsen
Nils Pederson	Louis Halvorson	Art Hegreberg
Sam Govig	Anton Peterson	Herman Pederson
Hans Rude	Ole Fostervold	Ray Madison

TRUSTEES

O. B. Glarum	Sam Rasmussen	Roy M. Carlson
John Paulson	G. O. Sand	Otto Trulson
A. P. Quam	J. Strand	Malvin Westphal
Nils G. Olson	Peder Rannestad	George Kallevig
Thos. Osmundson	Albert Johnson	Leonard Nelson
Reinert Sunde	P. Bassebo	C. T. Birkeland
J. W. Arctander	L. Tindal	H. C. Ditmarson
Olie Selvig	Peter Berg	Edw. Elkjer
Frederick Syverson	Syvert Benson	Orlando Nelson
S. S. Glarum	Sigvald Olson	Leonard Nelson
H. Shipstead	H. T. Langager	Carl Mayer
John Olson	Erick Soldahl	Alvin Langager
Israel Pederson	O. O. Ulvin	Elmer Rykken
O. P. Rice	Henry Nelson	Marvin Kallevig
Ole Beck	Theo. C. Birkeland	Leon Olson
Ole Elgeros	L. Rykken	Carleton Eliason
Peter Hanson	Julius Pederson	Ed. S. Johnson
T. O. Ferring	Ludwig Olson	Raymond Call
H. Stenson	John Gramhild	Reuben Skeie
O. R. Sletten	Lingvald Johnson	Clarence Birkland
John Johnson	N. B. Leines	Robert Jones
O. A. Jacobson	Arnold Erickson	Wm. Pechacek
E. Holt	LeRoy Johnson	
P. Lillegaarden	A. O. Tommeraasen	

TREASURERS

N. G. Olson	Peder Berg
S. Osmundson	Syvert Benson
O. P. Rice	Arnold Erickson
G. C. Haines	Ingvald Rykken
O. J. Rollerson	Elmer Rykken
H. Shipstead	Marvin Kallevig
S. S. Glarum	Reuben Skeie
Erick Holt	

SECRETARIES

F. A. Anderson	E. Holt
Torkil Olson	Martin C. Nelson
C. C. Birkeland	Inga Pederson
G. O. Sand	Mrs. Lucille Nelson
H. T. Olson	Mrs. Roy Opheim

CANTORS

1877	Torkil Olson	1902	Conrad Wigdahl
1880	Ole J. Pederson	1903	John Sogge
1882	Torkil Olson	1904-09	Sam Govig
1883	Ole J. Pederson	1907-09	John Sogge
1886	G. C. Haines	1914-16	G. O. Sand
1887	John Sogge		

ORGANISTS

Alphaia Paulson	Laila Holt
Mary Osmundson	Amy Berg
Mrs. L. M. Landing	Ethel Govig Putnam
Agusta Glarum Johnson	Cora Osmundson Martin
Lena Glarum Bjornberg	Bernice Severinson
Martha Moss Sandbo	Mrs. Ingvald Rykken
Clara Moss Johnson	Martina Berg
Clara Johnson Sjoberg	Gladys Peterson Janzig
Mrs. O. A. Jacobson	Mrs. O. O. Ulvin
Hazel Pederson Gynild	Mrs. H. P. Hansen

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

G. C. Haines	K. T. Rykken	Ingvald Rykken
O. J. Rollefson	Nels Quam	Roy M. Carlson
B. Aslakson	M. C. Dixon	Bernard Steigerwald
Halvor Shipstead	Mrs. M. C. Nelson	Mrs. Alford Eliasos
A. O. Borgan	N. B. Leines	Douglas Langager
Conrad Wigdahl	Mrs. H. O. Halvorson	Curtis Norskog
Isak Bassebo	Miss Inga Pederson	

CONGREGATIONAL CHAIRMAN

Roy M. Carlson	Alvin Langager
Carl Mayer	Bernard Steigerwald

PLASTIC CLAY

I took a piece of plastic clay
And idly fashioned it one day,
And as my fingers pressed it still,
It bent and yielded to my will.

I came again when days were past,
The bit of clay was hard at last
The form I gave it still it bore,
But I could change that form no more.

I took a piece of living clay
And gently formed it day by day,
And molded it with power and art—
A young child's soft and yielding heart.

I came again when years were gone,
He was a man I looked upon.
The early imprint still he bore,
But I could change him then no more.

—Selected

Confirmation Classes 1872 - 1962

(Includes names of members of the Hardanger, St. John's and Eagle Lake congregations during the years they were a part of the Willmar Parish.)

1872-1873-1874—None.

1875—Ingebret Tollefson, Christian C. Birkeland, Ingebor A. Bakken, Olava Siverson, Ole Iver Olson, Anfin Williamson, Anton Helmerson, Benjamin Eliason, Albrecht Kasperson, Ingebor Ulrikson, Anna Strand, Anne Gustrud.

1876—Rasmus Rasmussen, Gunder Osmundson, Cornelius Osmundson, Thorvald Tollefson, Olai Larson, Thor Thorson, Thora Carolina Thorson, Marthe Arnesdatter, Parner Severin Peterson, and Aunie Johansdatter.

1877—Peder Iverson, Johan Nelson, Marie Nielson, Marie Thorson, Johan Strand, Peder Pederson, Jens Pederson, Amanda Carlson, Serine Stenseth, Anne Pederson, Alphia F. Paulson, Marthe Erikson, Theodor Syverson, Ole H. Gusterud, Marin Dorthea Sand, Martin Larson, Martin Gunderson, Anna Williamson, Johanna M. Greenfield, and Peter C. Greenfield.

1878—Bernhardine H. Selvig, Gjirtrud Nilson, Anne Marie Pederson, Eilerd Olai Ellingson, Tosten Anderson, Christoffer Albert Olson, Sophia Erikson, Olivia Arnesdatter, Lena Hanson, Ole J. Nygaard, Karen M. Olson, Tollef Olson, Wilhelm Helmerson, Ole Johnson, Edward Eliason, Berthea A. Gusterud.

1879—Hans Thorvald Thorsen, Nicolai Stenseth, Jorgen Svenson, Anne Margrethe Olson, Johan Bernhof Svenson, Marie Osmundson, Simon R. Tollefson, Julia Ellingson, Helda Johnson, Lava Larson, Ivar Jacobsen, Marie Larson, Olinea Sand, Aasta M. Halvarson, Maren A. Pederson, Christine Nilsen, Hansine Bertelson, and Christin Larsen.

1880—Martin L. Paulson, Magnus Thorson, Ole Andreas Jacobson, Karen Augusta Davidson, Rönnäug Olson, Hilda Marie Johnson, Anna Helena Rodlund, Emma Olivia Gjester, Amanda J. Mankel, Johannes Amundson, Elisabet A. Greenfield, Albert E. Garud, Louise Thorson, Joachim B. Nygaard, and Inger Anderson.

1881—Hans Strand, Anne Osmundson, Eleir Christian Tollefson, Johan Otos, Olaf Bernt Olson, Frantz Peterson, Haldar Christian Selvig, Peder Bertelson, Haldon Hanson, Elsie Helmer, Clara Mathilda Halvorsen, and Peter Iverson.

1882—Clara Otilda Jacobson, Christoffer Ellingson, David Davidson, Syvert Osmundson, Amalia Hanson, Meta Quam, Petra Quam, Anne Jensen, Bolette Jensen, Peder Williamson, Hans Hanson, Clara Mathilda Olson, Laura Sofie Olsen, Bergitte Johnson, Anna Marie Olson, Alfie Theodora Olson, Bernstine Nilsen, Julie Dahl, Ole Erikson, Ekhof Nygaard, Carl Larson, Ener Henrikson, Anders Olson, Carl Albert Halverson, Hilda S. Olson, and Nora Halverson.

1883—Sivert Sivertson, Arbraham Thorson, Marie Ekerson, Frantz Johan Broberg, Jonas Olaus Ellingson, Martha Elisabeth Nelson, Anne Cathrine Sofie Larson, Edward Bernstin, Karen Jenson, Otilde Regme Reese, Carl Holmquist, Hanna Otos, Karen Otos, Olene C. Moller, Anne M. Rasmussen, Frithjof Anderson, John Quam, Willie A. Nelson, Anne Christine Anderson, and Karen Sofie Bertelson.

1884—Johannes Quam, Oliver Stene, Carl Andreas Peterson, Martin Idan Peterson, Otto Thorson, Jens S. Strand, Cornelius L. Svenson, Peder Martin Pederson, Christen Martin Tollefson, Albert Olaus Olson, Ole Olson, Frank Theodor Aslakson, Peder Bonde, Ole Harry Larson, Betsey Oline Erikson, Vilda Marie Hanson, Anna Siverson, Josephine Magna Jacobson, Julia P. Olson, Ida Olea Olsen, Ruth Randina Osmundson, Dina Olivia Selvig, Marie Hogmo, Hans Peder Rasmussen, Hans Paulson, Nels Peder Nilson, Rasmus Peder Rasmussen, Nils A. Jensen, Marie L. Larson, Jensine Jensen, Jensine Nelson, Josefina Johanson, Karen Jensen, Gunda Tygeson, Andrew Rasmussen, Martin Pederson, Emilie Erikson, and Anna Mathilde Hanson.

1885—Edward Raymond Rasmussen, Gunnar Ellingson, Ingebright Olson, Bertine Olson, Anna Elise Bjork, Jacobine Burdie Tollefson, Ida Catherine Tollefson, Barthe Olson, Anne Serine Olson, Ingeborg Anne Olson, Sire Thorson, Rande Erikson, Mini Amanda Thorson, Ulrik Tideman, Jacob Tideman, Peter Olaf Freberg, Frank Nilson, Thorvald Otaas, Helga Atelda Paulson, Christine Julson, Martin D. Hanson, Christian J. Hanson, Albertine M. Pederson,

Mathilda Helmer, Christine Hanson, Josefine S. Simonson, Johann Nygaard, Alfred George Johnson, and Ovidie Dahl.

1886—Martin I. Riis, Hjalmar Adolph Hanson, Rasmus Jenson, Abraham A. Birke-land, Adolph Olai Larson, Nels Andreas Nelson, Karen Marie Peterson, Nora Josefine Miller, Mary Glarum, Johanne Sofie Larson, Theoline Osmundson, Hannah Rebekka Pederson, Anna Caroline Olson, Jens M. Jenson, Rasmus Olson, Didrik Jenson, Anton Tygeson, Jacob Paulson, Pernille Johannesson, Bodel Jensen, Anna Elsie Pederson, Carl Erikson, Ole Pederson, Andrea Olson, Emma Marie Olson, and Olive Larson.

1887—Oscar B. Bjerknæs, Robert Bertinus Otterness, Ditler Berg, P. Ross, Martin Adolph Ellingson, Albert Englund, Ole Martinson, Carl Olai Tollefson, Amalie Katherine Pederson, Sofie Kjerstine Haines, Andrea Kristopherson, Olivia Agritha Bjerknæs, Jennie Sofie Jakobson, Ida Matilda Dahlheim, Ida Sofie Johnson, Amanda Nancie Peterson, Albert Nilson, Edward B. Erikson, Jakob Greenfield, Hanna Josefine Larson, Oline Olson, Annie Marie Rasmus-sen, Kristine K. Greenfield, Ida Albertine Erikson, Albert Helmer Swenson, Theodor Dengerud, Ellen Marie Olson, Emma Matilda Nilson, and El'se Olson.

1888—Peder Bertin Greenfield, Alfred Theodore Thorson, Johan Theodore Sy-vertson, John Albert Johnson, Carl Johan Berkeland, Thomas Olson, Thor-wald A. Wahlum, Anton Olaus Pederson, Marie Anderson, Olette Amalie Tollefson, Clara Amelia Haines, Anna Margrethe Jorstad, Ingeborg Kathrine Larson, Eli Nilson, Alette Marie Olson, Anna Johnson, Ingeborg Peterson, Nils Hanson Ener Christianson, Albert M. Greenfield, Anders Pederson, Nils M. Jensen, Fredrik Paulson, Anna Mortenson, Anna Christine Nilson, Anna K. Jenson, Emelie Johannesson, Henry Helmerson, Jakob Olson, Ole Edward Olson, Clara Jorgine Strand, Ole Christian Ostensjö, Emma Mathilde Han-son, Ellen Johanna Youngberg, John Alford Nilson, Enok Olsen, Iver Högmo.

1889—Alphia Theodora Olson, Bertha Gusta Glarum, Martina Serine Myhre, Ida Christopherson, Anna Serene Reigvam, Karen Christine Tollefson, Emma Julia Ellingson, Elida Berthine Abrahamson, Samiola Jakobine O'son, Jen-sine Charlotte Tollefson, Marianne Kristenson, Julia Elizabeth Omundson, Johanna Serine Fladebo, Emil George Englund, James Olai Jakobson, Andrew Olson, Alfred Anderson, Christian Moller Johnson, Elias Carl G. Wennerlund, Andrew Larson, Carl Gustav Johnson, Jens Hetmæn Olson, Anne M. Olson, Marie Nilson, Hans Kongslie, Thorwald N. Hanson, Tobias Rasmussen, Julius A. Nilson, Eilert Martin Nelson, Johan Tygeson, Emeline Embertson, Ella Christine Erikson, Maren Theoline Olson, Laura Matilda Nygaard, Nils William Nilson, John Albert Pederson, Peder Gunnarson Thorpe, Nils Alvig, Albert Theodor Rykken, Gunda Emelia Hanson, Minnie Augusta Johannsson, Johanna Swenson, Edward Ludvig Erikson, George Edwin Swenson.

1890—Helen Sophia Sampson, Julia O. Sletten, Mina Thorson, Hilda Mathilda Carlson, Bertine Raaen, Olava Mathilda Hanson, Anna Josefine Johnson, Christian Jakumson, Carl Wilheim Englund, Nils Bertin Pederson, John Adolph Olson, Henry Hanson, Karen M. Greenfield, Hilda B. Hanson, Pauline B. Hanson, Anna M. Rasmusson, Gjertrud Pederson, Constance Hanson, Lovise Johannesson, Mattie Paulson, Lars O. C. Greenfield, Jens P. Larson, Anna Bertine Alvig, Ragnilde Gurine Ostensjö, Theoline Clara Rosby, Rose Bertine Ruble, Alma Mathilde Erikson, Ida Syrine Nilson, Martha Gurine Knutson, Oscar Olson, Ole Hendrikson, Julius Edward Erikson, Ole Henry Nilson, Henry Olson, Joseph Halvarson, August Embertson, Andrew Nordahl, Johan Peter Beck, Christ Birkland, and Minnie Swenson.

1891—Ole Christian Erikson, Nils Hedman Anderson, Jens Fredrik P. Jensen, Rasmus Rasmussen, Lars Chr. Christianson, Oluf Theodore Olsen, Elvin Oscar Osmundson, Jakob Edvard Ellingson, Hokan Borvald Jakobsen, Emma Ber-tine Hyndso, Signe Johanna Jorstad, Julia Oline Feiring, Gurine Nilson, Nellie Marie Johnson, Ester Marie Olson, Christine Reigvam, Martha Emelie Moss, Oline Johanna Glarum, Mathila Olson, Christine Johnson, Emma Per-son, Johanna Person, Josefine Johnson, Johanna Johnson, Caroline Moberg, Anne Sofie Bergesen, August Olsen, Albert Herman Hansen, Carl Albert Olson, Albert Olsen, Julius F. Pederson, Alida Mathilda Svenson, Nora Amanda Rud, Ole Edward Erickson, Anders Pedersen, John Benhard Youngberg, Anna Tygeson, Ole T. Nilsen, Julius Helmer, Paul Larson, Ole Nilsen, Peter I. Ham-mer, Wilhelm Williamson, Georg Sjursen, and August O. Dengerud.

1892—John George Johnson, Edwin Carl Ruble, Christen Bertine Anderson, Endre Mandius Birkeland, Ludvig Thorson, Rasmus Carl Sletten, Peder

Rasmussen, Bernt Theodore Feiring, Gerda Caspara Wennerlund, Pauline Sampson, Anna Martha Birkeland, Odé Marie Börgan, Nilla Mathilda Börgan, Kari Olufine Olsen, Martha Olefine Sorenson, Johanne P. Johnson, Olive M. Greenfield, Ludvig C. Jensen, Peder B. Hanson, Carl Paulson, Christian Nilsen, Wilhelm Hanson, Elmer Martinson, Hans C. Larson, Mikal A. Pederson, Carl Albert Nilsen, Engel Alvig, Ole Aslesen, Christian Nygaard, Elna Nelsine Sorenson, Olga Caroline Sand, Ida Petra Erikson, Oline Thorpe, and Caroline Christine Hanson.

1893—Henry Naman Moss, Henry Charles Johnson, Oluf Lenius Nilsen, Hans Torsten Baarsen, Carl Christin Larsen, Georg Inus Govig, Axel Berkeness, Peder Magnus Warlum, Anna Elisabeth Thorsen, Susanna Olsen, Emma Nicoline Pederson, Inga Amalia Ross, Pauline Laurentine Bertelson, Rackel Sofie Ellingson, Christine Nilsen, Emma Hanson, Martha Caroline Wick, Emma Lovise Dalheim, Gunerius Haug, Jens Jensen, Emilie Eriksen, Christine Nilsen, Ida Tygeson, Carl Alvin Gunderson, Edward Embertson, Ole B. Bergeron, Peder W. Pederson, Otelia Embertson, Martha Torpe, Anna Hookom, Anna Asle, Caroline Dengerud, Olalia Nordahl, Anna Mathilda Beck, Ragna J. Erikson, and Julia M. Rud.

1894—Burnt Ludvig Ruh, Ingvald Andreas Erikson, Nicolai Ragnvold Olsen, Thorlif Olsen, Hans Magnus Sletten, Peder Oscar Rudness, Frank Johnson, Nils Bjerkness, Gustav Thorsen, Oli Benjamin Olsen, Ole Johan Olsen, Sven Oluf Osmundson, Christian Fredrik Wick, Walfrida Augusta Lofgren, Tomina Inga Feiring, Anna Bertine Johnson, Ellen Johnson, Lovisa Marie Nelson, Anna Olsen (Hagen), Ella Birkeland, Lovisa Christina Ruble, Mattia Olsen, Lisa Olsen, Johanna Paulson, Bernt Martin Greenfield, Peter Aasen, Peder O. Pederson, Nils William Larson, Christoffer Swenson, Mary Wigdahl, Nella K. Carlson, Petra H. Hendrickson, Nettie C. Erikson, Minda A. Nilsen, Alma O. Nilsen, Hanna J. Nilsen, Helga M. Sand, Ingeborg R. Knudsen, Gurine Olsen, Georg W. Hansen, Harry T. Halverson, Arne C. Carlson, Peter A. Erikson, Didrik Oscar Embertson, and Josefine F. Youngberg.

1895—Lyder Olai Berg, Peder Julius Govig, Jakob Christensen, Mandy Albertine Warlum, Andrea Maria Olsen, Thea Agata Klyve, Inga Maria Bruback, Thilda Maria Anderson, Hanna Hansen, Hanna Nymoen, Emma Christine Walberg, Henry Martinson, Ole M. Olson, Laurine Nilsen, Jorgine Hanson, Nilsene Johansen, Marie Jensen, Adolfine Nilsen, Anna Hammer, Josefine Sjorli, Henry E. Berg, Martin Erikson, Oluf Redvold, Olda L. Olsen, Manda B. Olsen, Ingvald B. Beck, and Alfred Nordahl.

1896—Lars Alexander Jorstad, George Clarence Haines, Arne Nilsen, Peder Pederson, Nils Anton Rodness, Bertha Caroline Bjerkness, Klara Anette Johnson, Andrea Oline Wigdahl, Olga Amanda Walberg, Karoline Josefine Moss, Antoinette Kristine Moss, Sjarlotte Feiring, Klara Emilie Johnson, Olina Mathilda Olsen, Gina Olsen, Hanna Eriksen, Anna A. Pederson, Hanna J. M. Nilsen, Gjertru M. Olsen, Anna M. Larsen, Anna Olstad, Elsie E. Greenfield, Elvine C. Swenson, Oscar Berg, Henry T. Nilsen, Henry Alfred Henrikson, Hans J. Olsen, Sivert W. Bergeson, Sigvart Guliksen, Jenny Embertson, Lydia S. Olsen, Manda Caroline Gunderson, Ida M. Grue, Julia A. Sand, Johannes Beck, Ole Adolf Wick, Herbert Bjork, Emma Lovise Erikson and Helga Katherine Rud.

1897—Albert Oscar Ruble, Bernhard Johan Glarum, Carl Thomsen, Martinus Gunderson, Paul Johan Borgan, Anna Berthilde Berg, Ingeborg Elfine Abramson, Ella Severine Haines, Bertha Christine Ledell, Malina Bergetta Oakland, Anna Johanna Johnson, Kristance Greenfield, Hanna S. Nilsen, Josefine M. Pederson, Lina Paulson, Hans E. Nilsen, Erik Elkjer, Ole A. Martinsen, Ole C. Olsen, John C. Nilsen, Johanna Thorpe, Edla M. Hendrikson, Anna Julia Erikson,

1898—Ludvig Christian Glarum, Carl Alfred Feiring, Reinard Theodore Thorsen, Johnnie Oscar Johnson, Eddy Theodore Klyve, Carl Oscar Berg, Jacob Nilsen, Isak Godfred Jorstad, Alfred Olsen, Carl Herman Ellingson, Maline Hanser, Nella Oline Olsen, Julia Caroline Rasmussen, Dina Olava Johnson, Ida Klara Thorpe, Minnie Thompson, Mayvild Pederson, Fiby Henrikson, Olina Theresa Anderson, Rolf Reite, Edwin Olsen, Anton Kongslø, Martin H. Larsen, Charley T. Rasmussen, Bergitta A. Eriksen, Trine Thorsen, Tilda J. Hammer, Peder Johan Nelson, Albert B. Dengerud, Carl J. Eriksen, Sivert L. Olsen, Harry T. Sand, Lovise A. Hanson, Olena J. Gunderson, Ella Caroline Olsen, Olava Dengerud, Anna S. Rykkjen, Olga A. Pederson, Martha Berg, Mary A. Olsen, Bertha A. Nordahl, and Esther B. Solberg.

1899—Peder Oluf Sletten, Albert Nicolas Gilbertson, Jens Axel Pederson, Pauline Alette Wigdahl, Clara Caspara Moss, Anna Gerhardine Borgan, Lydia Maria Walberg, Anna Severine Benson, Clara Emilie Pederson, Hanna Bertine Anderson, Anna Sofie Hansen, Nora Dagmar Johnson, Thorvald Nilsen, Sivert Klyve, Elias E. Hansen, Holger Elkjer, Bernhard Nilsen, Fredrik Nilsen, Leonard Freeman, Berthine J. Greenfield, Anfia Freeman, Enock T. Erikson, Arnold H. Wallen, Henry E. Hansen, Emmanuel Henriksen, Axel R. Nilsen, Christine Gunderson, Joseph Berg, Edwin R. Peterson, Olai Erikson, Christian L. Thorpe, Oscar Olsen, Julius Embertsen, Mavis Alvig, Clara A. Kleven, Alma Olsen, Robert Brudwick, Ole M. Rud, Ole L. Beck, Inga O. Erikson, Anna R. Bjerkness, Julia A. Youngberg, Peder O. Sletten, Albert N. Gilbertson.

1900—Rosy Clarisa Stensen, Alphia Josephine Berg, Hilda Sofie Ledell, Martha Gurine Arthun, Clara Solverson, Anna Marie Feiring, Ida Marie Sjursen, Elenora Josephine Otterness, Hanna Netland, Bernhard Olfur Rasmussen, Hans Christian Garstad, Carl Julius Holland, Christian Borgan, Phillip Oscar Thorsen, Julius Martinsen, Ingebrigt Martin Nilsen, Jens L. Hansen, Henry R. Freeman, Inga G. Pedersen, Jergine Thorson, Nora Nilsen, Mable C. Pettersen, Hilda Olsen, Emilia R. Eriksen, Rudolf V. Nilsen, Thomas A. Sand, Theodor I. Hookom, Ludvig T. Rykken, August Dengerud, Lovise T. Vick, and Manda T. Vick.

1901—Odin Wigdahl, Elik Olai Klyve, Thorvald Adolph Rigidahl, Edvin Ludvig Johnson, Nicus Arthur Walberg, Alfred Hansen, Selmer Berg, Henry Olson, Matius Kallevig, Anna Marie Abrahamson, Margrethe Benson, Inga Anette Solverson, Emma Hanson, Hannah Greenfield, Peter Larson, William Elkjer, John Hanson, Marius C. Gunderson, Henry Casper Erickson, Arthur B. Kleven, Oscar Olsen, Harry Olsen, Edward T. Gunderson, Olaf A. Dengerud, Josefine G. Olsen, Allette Nilsen, Alice M. Skataas, Marie C. Hansen, Amanda C. Bakken, Anna E. Gunderson, August Hanson, Anna Marie Hanson, and Magnus Olstad.

1902—Hilda Maria Benson, Ida Olette Holland Clara Bertine Johnson, Martha Augusta Olson, Fredrika Mathilda Hjort, Maria Alvina Erikson, Anna Maria Anderson, Alice Ovidia Berkness, Nellie Regine Rasmussen, Anna Julia Thompson, Malinda Elsia Hagen, Clara Hogsten, Mabel Henrietta Strand, Eline Borgan, Ida Alphia Jacobson, Cora Elvina Osmundson, Christ Richard Berg, Herman Thompson, Axel Valdemar Qvale, Martin Julius Sletten, Thorvald, T. Konsterlie, John Syvert Benson, Bernhard Walter Johnson, Henry Bergeson, Carl M. Hookom, Enock Berg, Alma S. Sand, Alma W. Nielsen, Agnes P. Eriksen, Effy T. Petersen, Ragna Netland, Bertha J. Rykken, Anna C. Nilsen, Clara M. Bergesen, Anna J. Thomsen, Malinda E. Hagen and Pauline Pedersen.

1903—Ella Christine Arthun, Hattie Lovisa Stenson, Anna Lovisa Thompson, Marie Hermine Olstad, Julia Sophia Klyve, Elsia Cornelia Otterness, Stella Solverson, Helga Sophie Hanson, Nellie Mathilda Nilsen, Rikka Mathilda Swenson, Emma Adamson, Ingvald John Johnson, Didrik Alfred Ostfeld, Peder Johannes Bassebo, Elef Abrahamson, Carl Victor Hegstrom, Julius Theodore Johnson, Thor Kallevig, Marie C. Hansen, Edward Elkjer, Albert E. Larsen, Ole T. Thorson, Martin H. Hanson, Bessie K. Nilsen, Marie Olsen, Erika Pedersen, Carl J. Olsen, Joseph Berg, Arnold L. Bakken, and Johnnie Nygaard.

1904—Arthur Reynold Anderson, Edwin Victor Stenson, Cora Regine Bjerkness, Anna Fridlund, Millie Otelia Rasmuson, Julia Benson, Amy Julia Berg, Johanna Emelia Anderson, Minnie Berguta Qvale, Marie Hanna Holland, Clara Oline Wigdahl, Anna Emilie Garstad, Robert Norman Rasmussen, Justus Theodore Sletten, Laureneius Peterson, Emmanuel Evenson, Johanna Haug, Ella M. Hamann, Julia B. Nilsen, Hans Edward Hansen, Paul S. Pederson, Edward Dengerud, Peder Konsterlie, Georg Embertsen, John L. Grue, Charlie O. Sand, Herman J. Hookom, Albert C. Rykken, Mary O. Skataas, Elsie L. Bergeson, Kaja H. Gunderson, and Minie O. Eriksen.

1905—Oscar Hagen, Oscar Johan Solverson, Henry Hanson, Ida Eleanor Olsen, Inga Marie Johnson, Mandie Sophie Berkness, Rossella Charlotte Rosby, Klara Adams, Anna Katherine Sagge, Caroline Lovisa Strand, Jenny Johanna Erikson, Agnes H. Otterness, Johanna Magdalina Kallevig, Sina Bertina Embeland, Olga Pauline Nilsen, Burnell Ingebrigt Vick, George Arthur Vick, Martin B. Hanson, Christian C. Elkjer, Gustav Freeman, Elias Norman Greenfield, Christian A. Olstad, Bella C. Greenfield, Alma J. Rasmussen, Amanda M.

Wangsness, Anna E. Eriksen, Thora A. Elkjer, Carl Gunderson, Henry Pettersen, August Berg, Alena M. Olsen, Olga L. Bakken and Agnes H. Nilsen.

1906—Ingvald Adolph Qvale, Anne Harold Johnson, Nils Edwin Berg, Olaf Bernhard Johnson, Thorwald Evenson, Nora Maria Anderson, Nellie Christine Kleve, Alphia Henrietta Otterness, Tillia Cecilia Skatos, Mabel Hannah Olson, Laura Wigdahl, Mabel Alphia Dalien, Betsy Olive Govig, Mabel Christine Johnson, Theodor E. Nilsen, Nils P. Hanson, Arthur I. Nilsen, Henry A. Helmer, Martin H. Nilsen, and Alphia M. Haug.

1907—Henry Olai Johnson, Selmer Salverson, Eddy Garfield Youngberg, Fred Pettersen, Christoffer Kallevig, Nils Hanson, Lydia Birkeland, Hazel Bonita Pederson, Frances Jennie Ledell, Ethel Henriette Govig, Minnie Olava Berg, Stella Jennie Swenson, Mandie Oline Konsterlie, Mildred Almira Skaatos, Jennie Mathilda Otternss, Hazel Hattie Dalien, Henry T. Rasmussen, Gynther Samuel Wangsness, Lydia R. Thorson, Clara M. Nelson, Kathrine M. Hamann, and Maren J. Nilson.

1908—Raynold Wilton Johnson, Frederick Christian Holt, Henry Oliver Magnusson, Walter Qvale, Iden Markus Rasmussen, Ella Josephine Magnussen, Alma Ovida Grimlund, Christine Cicilia Hjort, Johanne Sagge, Ester Hermine Walberg, Lillie Marie Hansen, Anna Josephine Haaland, Helene Martha Gunderson, Burnice Margrethe Severinson, Borghild Lucile Sand, Anna Mathilda Ellingson, Alice Bjork, Einar Bjork, Godfred Wilhelm Elfstrom, Alvin Lorenius Elfstrom, Hilda L. Erickson, Tilda O. Hanson, Martha O. Hanson, Estella M. Hanson, and Alma Ellingsen.

1909—Charley Theodore Birkeland, Edwin Sletten, Selmer Sletten, Elmer J. M. Otterness, Emil Harry Anderson, Edw. Oscar Erickson, Eddie Sigwald Olson, Henry Olai Ellingson, Ruben Paul Johnson, Harold Lokken, Martin Olai Fixen, James Russell Johnson, Roy Thorvald Pederson, Harry Carl Dalien, Marie Lokken, Alma Bertine Hegstrom, Minnie Johanna Berkness, Lalia Kathrine Holt, Laurine Sophie Larson, Martina Theodora Berg, Emma Randine Hanson, Johan P. Greenfield, Ernest C. Thompson, Olai R. Olstad, Alfred E. Olstad, Hansine T. Johnson, Ella M. Thompson, Mary R. Ellingson, Anna T. Larson, Nellie O. Nelson, Inga Thorson, and Edward O. Erickson.

1910—Carl Ludvig Solverson, Knud Sogge, Clifford Henry Johnson, Ludvig Alfred Wigdahl, George Kallevig, Elmer Gunderson, Albert Lester Jensen, Ruth Lilly Beck, Sophie Gerharda Selseth, Emma Lovise Urdahl, Clara Adine Haaland, Olga Viola Qvale, Helen Aletta Pederson, Mildred Helen Severinson, Martin D. Hansen, Thorwald P. Hansen, Anna Lenora Pederson, Esther B. Pederson, Ella M. Hamann, Kathrine Marie Hamann, Inga M. Sletten, Ingeborg O. Greenfield, Alma J. Wangsness, and Anna E. Thompson.

1911—Peder Severin Pederson, Esther Gurine Pederson, Alexander Gilbert Sand, Paul Morris Holt, Albin Adolph Hegstrom, George Leonard Otterness, Amy Johanne Strand, Marie Johanne Vaag, Sigrid Berg, Cora Dina Gundershaug, Pearl Jenette Nygaard, Muriel Esther Anderson, Otto C. Jensen, George F. Sanderson, Albert S. Wikre, Cora M. Erickson, Marie T. Anderson, Olga A. Elkjer, Mabel C. Sorenson, Ella P. Helmer, and Inga M. Brekke.

1912—Harry Benson, John Lepse, William Govig, Harold Thorson, Harry Stenson, Lars Pederson, Willie Sletten, Alette Solverson, Pearl Otterness, Helga Berg, Amy Severinson, Mary Johnson, Amy Olson, Florence Pederson, Clara Hanson, Margit Brekke, Louis Urdahl, Harold Hamann, Robert Larson, Thorwald Thorson, Hans Anderson, John Bergstrom, Henry Nelson, Arthur Greenfield, Maynard Hamann, Ernest Hamann, Thomas Thompson, Emma Rusten, Minnie Pederson, Olga Pederson, and Henry C. Hanson.

1913—Harold Oliver Sand, Norval Julius Gundershaug, James Christian Olson, Norman Gerhard Johnson, Johan Kallevik, Edward Kallevik, Manley Brau Holt, Harold Clifford Severinson, Joseph Kvam, George Leonard Kleve, Alvin Clarence Ellingson, Sumner Ernest Benson, George Andreas Lepse, Lenora Sophia Brevik, Ruby Jeaneth Pederson, Evelyn Berkness, Elvira Jacobson, Mabel Alice Mildenhaur, Sylpha Elvina Ellingson, Effie Petrine Otterness, Hilda Josephine Gunderson, Amy Ovedia Trongaard, Edna Malinda Magnuson, Myrtle Espelind, Minnie Katherine Espelind, Alice Marie Birkeland, Christian Fransen, Peter Rusten, Lina E. Helmer, Alma I. Helmer, Julia M. Hanson, and Ruth N. Sletten.

1914—Bennet Urdahl, Arthur Solverson, Alvin Arthur Thorpe, Godtfred Arnold Johnson, Emil Leonard Tommeraasen, Gunvar Karine Emberland, Thora Rebekka Vikse, Cecilia Selma Olson, Gladys Jeanette Ellingson, Ida Eldorine

Greenfield, Mabel Josephine Hanson, Selma Lovisa Pederson, Jennie Otelia Johnson, Nora Hanson, Lillian Dorothy Magnuson, Bjuna Margareth Arvig, Thorwald B. Olstad, Alice E. Hamann, Pearl Swenson, Martin Sundt, Melvin Stai, Cecilia Sletten, Elmer Rykken, and Bernice Peterson.

1915—Clarence Raynarth Faleida, Lloyd William Peterson, Carl Oliver Birkeland, William Gehard Magnuson, Edwin Gunderson, Edwin Thomas Qvale, Floyd Rudolph Wicks, Hans Peder Hansen, Russell William Otterness, Arthur Noel Leines, Vernon Rudolph Thorson, Eveline Muriel Otterness, Emma Caroline Gundershaug, Olga Christine Engen, Hattie Selma Larsen, Gertrude Lenora Dale, Mabel Lillie Knutsen, Anna Marie Knutsen, Arthur William Johnson, Harold Eugene Gilbert, Tallef Olson, Julius Fransen, Olaf Hamness, Albin Rasmussen, Arthur M. Rasmussen, Arthur M. Nelson, Emil Rusten, Florence Sanderson, Hansine D. Anderson, and Annie E. Hamann.

1916—Einar Berg, Alvin Brevig, Otto Arne Holt, Raymond Oliver Severinson, George Magnus Nelson, Walter Reihard Rykken, Mabel Edna Peterson, Esther Bernice Benson, Mary Eveline Wicks, Edith Evangeline Olson, Bernice Amanda Trongaard, Esther Antoinette Erickson, Katherine Margrethe Michaelson, Helen Dorothy Sand, May Olive Putnam, Lettie Bertha Nelson, Hattie Adeline Putnam, Magnhild Ness, Myrtle Ruth Benson, Arthur Sletten, Olive Lilia Nygaard, Arthur H. Hanson, Maggy L. Hamann, Rudolph Sanderson, Hans Helmer, Henry E. Pederson, Alice M. Pederson, and Alvin L. Helmer.

1917—Martha Christine Olson, Gladys Margaret Peterson, Ruby Evangeline Sather, Effie Olive Solverson, Minnie Theoline Hanson, Selma Theodora Birkeeland, Ruby Annette Otterness, Marie Oletta P. Gilbertson, Pearl Isobelle Nelson, Clara Olena Benson, Caroline Johanna Johnson, Esther Bergetta Johnson, Margaret Estelle Johnson, Lillie Caroline Nordin, Roy Marion Ellingson, Peder Pederson, Peter Emil Fransen, Karl Thorpe, Ernest Sophus Fransen, Julius Leonard Olstad, Martin Theodore Hanson, George Leonard Wicks, and Earl Elsworth Aarvig.

1918—Nora Christine Strand, Gladys Myrtle Pederson, Rena Berkness, Helmer Ray Kallevig, Joseph E. Otterness, Eliot Palmer Peterson, Harold Ness, Clarence Edward Christenson, Maynard Oluf Berkness, Russell Norman Olsen, Oliver Russell Hegness, Victor Norman Peterson, Albert Emil Brecke, Emma Christine Peterson, Alma Sophie Thorson, Joseph Robert Rasmussen, Harry Lenhart Hamann, Britha Marie Rusten, Lillian Gladys Hanson, and Mable Johanna Hanson.

1919—Dagny Jacobsen, Ethel Leonora Magnuson, Anna Lovise Pederson, Cora Oline Mickaelson, George Solverson, Henry Martin Nelson, Clifford Bertrum Rykken, Andrew William Rasmussen, William McKinley Gunderson, Sigurd Johan Lepse, Clarence Norman Netland, Edwin Parker Wangsness, Edward Raynold Hamann, Harold Martin Olstad, Selvin Clarence Jordahl, Engvald Malvin Balke, Freda Evelyn Grimlund, Olyla Cartance Eliason, Clara Luena Gunderson, Caletta Beatrice Hilland, Randall Joseph Peterson, Ainsworth Gaylord Hegness, Reuben Alexander Peterson, Clarence Wilhelm Hanson, Fridolph Grimlund, George Fredrick Anderson, Canton Bernhard Haug, Andrew Peter J. Hanson, Ernest George Hansen, Maurice Archibald Benson, Floyd Oliver Gilbert, Harold Russel Dalien, Andrew Emil Hamann, and Jewell Anette Peterson.

1920—Ethel Sylvia Pederson, Esther Leonora Peterson, Esther Genevieve Gunderson, Marsella Berkness, Alydia Ervella Gunderson, Stella Kathrine Brekke, Grace Myrtle Lilleberg, Mabel Gertrude Erickson, Orlando Nelson, Ervin Leonard Anderberg, Cecil Eugene Anderson, Edward Selmer Johnson, Edward Nels Erickson, Arthur Oliver Trongaard, Ethel Rosella Otterness, Myrtle Inga Jensen, Bernice Luella Olson, Olga Mathilda Nelson, Alice Theodora Smith, Lewis Edwin Thorpe, Melvin Andreas Hamnes, Peder Edwin Greenfield, Nels Joseph Greenfield, and Harold Theodore Olson.

1921—Anna Mathea Swenson, Gertrude Viola Peterson, Lucille Margrette Nilsen, Clara Leonora Hamann, Lillie Victoria Carlson, Irene Winnefred Dale, Florence Bernice Berry, Irene Clarabel Alvina Nygard, Florence Vivian C. Warren, Helen Lucile May Johnson, Agnes Eliza Elkjer, Inga Amalia Pederson, Delphia Alida Sandbo, Aldora Madeline Bakken, Inger Olive Michaelson, Olga Marian Smith, Arnold Bernhard Tvete, Allen Gerhard Rasmussen, Sidney Owen Berkness, Edward Harold Mickelson, Millard Elliott Baklund, Clarence Bernhard Gundershaug, Harold Miner Olson, Morgan Allen Haug

Harry Alex Z. Otterness, Arthur Christian Jensen, Clarence Fritjof Balke, Arthur John Hendrickson, Wendell Milow Nygard, Newell Whitefield Hansen, Werner Alton Peterson, and Beatrice Evelyn Sandbo.

1922—Adeline Marie Rasmussen, Evelyn Mariam Dahl, Stella Henrietta Pederson, Mildred Alvina Botten, Marvel Edna C. Carlson, Alice Georgina Farness, Selma Elvira Rude, Agnes Nelsina Jordahl, Inga Olina Larson, Esther Camilla Olson, James Palmer Pederson, Earl Francis Peterson, Clarence O. Lilberg, Earl Arthur Garstad, Roy Stanford Birkeland, Harold Fritjof Nelson, Mabel Jeanette Gunderson, Ina Marian Pederson, Hazel Ruth Pederson, and Orien Ethel Peterson.

1923—Esther Annie Gundershaug, Alice Marguriete Edman, Gladys A. Solverson, Elsie Helena Andersen, Clara Genetta Lund, Warren Herbert Edman, Maynard Albin Gunderson, Adolph Clifford Jordahl, Earl Clarion Paulson, Joseph Allen Hanson, Christian Elroy Hansen, Ervin Benhard Ellingboe, Vernon Leroy Swenson, Arthur Simon Anderson, Harold P. Farness, Ole Andrew Pederson, Trygve Pederson, and Alex Peterson.

1924—Alice Katherine Garstad, Lydia Charlotte Dahl, Elsie Aliene Baklund, Esther Charlotte Sandbo, Olive Marie Bergeson, Marie Pederson, Marion Amanda Quam, Juliet Swenson, Selma Irene Quam, Elvera Christina Jensen, Dorothy Miller, Mildred Rosell Greenfield, Gladys Regina Reigstad, Kermit Berton Rykken, Clarence Reuben Peterson, Newell Goodwin Dale, Adolph Engval Hendrickson, Marcy Filmore Baklund, Wallace Clifford Peterson, Elvin Leroy Erickson, Oliver Clifford Reigstad, Royden Archibald Otterness, and Leonard Raymond Dahl.

1925—Violet Elenora Haug, Marian Bernice Halverson, Opal Bernice Berg, Mildred Amanda Rusten, Marguerite Beatrice Farness, Nora Marie Nelson, Irene Ingeborg Rykken, Gladys Berthilda Haug, June Pernell Fladeboe, Ruth Olina Olson, Olive Adeline Jordahl, Helen Gesine Hanson, Verna Evangeline Otterness, Selmer Thorpe, Eddie Reuben Rasmussen, Henry Clarence Tvete, Harold Clifford Peterson, Earl Emil Gundershaug, Archie Gerhard Gunderson, Herman George Pederson, Glenn Moss Sandbo, Chester William Helmer, Harold Edward Anderson, Marvin Thorvald Lepse, Haina Gerhard Rude, Edward Harold Brecke, Murray Christian Hanson, Harvey Philip Nelson, Minard Parker Edman, Gordon Maurice Lilleberg, Alvin Russel Hamann, Robert Leroy Sanderson, George Orlando Hanson, Alvin Harvey Pederson, Roy William Pederson, Arthur Quam, Albert Melvin Olson, and Joseph Irvin Nelson.

1926—Helen Aleda Hendrickson, Lorraine Olive Simenson, Ruthorne Everett Estness, Paul Louis Halvorsen, Arthur Marvin Anderson, Gehart Sanford Johnson, Juner Elvin Aasen, Roy Stanley Dale, Earl Harold Pederson, Allen Mervin Anderson, Sigvald Mandius Pederson, Clarence Albert Hamann, Swen Arthur Swenson, Roy Alfred Simenson, Erling Merriam Hansen, Arthur Jordahl, and Ernest Loyd Quam.

1927—Alice Sophia Anderson, Ethel Louise Berg, Norma Elizabeth Johnson, Doris Beatha Nilsen, Florence Dorthea Christianson, Alice Viola Dahl, Adeline Bernice Erickson, Anna Christine Gundershaug, Gladys Edith Gunderson, Pearl Lucile Hanson, Helen Bonia Nelson, Viola Naomi Nelson, Ines Leora Paulson, Merva Crystal Paulson, Fern Boletta Pederson, Myrtle Rosetta Rasmussen, Jean Gwendolean Sandbo, Clarence Arthur Dahl, Stanley Gordon Benson, Lloyd Hirman Edman, Orven Kenneth Fladebo, Alvin Langager, Oscar Langager, Warren Sanford Lundquist, Clarence Alvin Olson, George Kenneth Swenson, and Ernest Conrad Tvetet.

1928—Alice Marian Anderson, Elaine Henrietta Halvorson, Ella Adena Aasen, Myrtle Alvira Farness, Lucille Georgia Moe, Evelyn Victoria Farness, Verna Joyce Olsen, Edith Celia Johnson, Ruth Quam, Florence Corinne Erickson, Martha Elizabeth Oakland, Alain Rosely Ellingboe, Eleanor Marie Strom, Elmo Norman Greenfield, James Richard Garstad, Melvin Martin Olstad, John Hilman Johnson, Mentor Oliver Hanson, Lawrence Edward Johnson, Sigurd Pederson, Myron Delroy Johnson, Archie Carl Hanson, Lloyd Norman Rude, Christian Robert Nelson, Palmer Reuben E. Anderson, Norman Andrew Brecke, Bernard Melius Wareberg, Alf Leonard Peterson, Peter Olander Reigstad, Howard LeRoy Dalien, and Oscar Meldo Bleke.

1929—Clara Thorpe, Lettie Louise Loge, Mildred Lillian Fostervold, Stella Ruby Eliason, Violet Marion Gunderson, Eleanor Ruby Stene, Viola Margaret Gunderson, Eleanor Soldahl, Anna Mathilda Syverson, Esther Quam, Orla Lor-

raine Vetter, Borghild Theodora Estness, Gladys Elvera Lind, Marian Hazel Trulson, Myrtle Elvina Gunderson, Clara Jane Helmer, Olga Gudrun Syverson, Ruby Victoria Haug, Virginia Rosemond Fladeboe, Lois Virginia Lundquist, Ruth Johanna Hendrickson, Harriet Marie Moe, Clarence Clifford Mickelson, Norman Franklin Erickson, Leary Monroe Howell, Harlan Kruger, Clarence Olof Melby, Julius Ditlow Haugen, Elmer Thomas Hanson, Walter Howard Stene, Russell Melvin Haug, Francis Clayton Johnson, Theodore Earl Jordahl, Gordon Everett Lundquist, Martin Marius Anderson, Helmer Marius Dahlheim, and Stanley Bernhard Okland.

1930—Ethel Viola Peterson, Nora Olive Tvete, Josephine Swenson, Hazel Evelyn Jordahl, Marvis Ione Mekeland, Myrtle Pearl Reigstad, Lillie Evangeline Gundershaug, Dorothy Mennitt McCutchen, Gertrude Stelia Johnson, Marvel Virginia McCutchen, Lorraine Luella Farness, Winnifred Beverly Sandbo, Lillian Marian Farness, Kathryn Elaine Ulvin, Myrtle Irene Nelson, Irene Lucile Berg, Julia Mae Anderson, Eleanor Gertrude Kallevig, Dorothy Mae Dalien, Pearl Adelina Gunderson, Noel Hilbern Haugen, Orville Wesley Hendrickson, Louis Herman Hanson, Selmer John Swenson, Arnold Schier, Elmer Arnold Reigstad, Arthur Obed Melby, Maynard Emanuel Lind, Johan Elmer Pederson, Clifford Henry Rasmusson, and Rose Ellen Halvorson.

1931—Margit Ovidia Pederson, Winnifred Muriel Peterson, Dorothy Hedevig Eliason, Stella Mildred Tolletson, Esther Dorothy Anderson, Margrette Constance Emberland, Geraldine Isobelle Kelly, Mildred Constance Alvig, Elenora Elaine Prescott, Agnes Lillian Bergeson, Gudrun Elizabeth Rude, Nora Rosemund Olson, Eunice Orpha Dalheim, Myrtle Lillian Hanson, Esther Okland, Irene Gladys Harstad, Florence Olivia Stene, Dolly Rosella Helmer, Valborg Charlotte Frieberg, Henry Millard Langager, Robert Myron Nelson, Roy Milford Madison, Otto Wesley Trulson, Emu Gerhard Kallevig, Maurice Willard Trulson, Chester Everett Kallevig, Morris Frederick Anderson, Marvin Raymond Ellingboe, Kenneth Gillmore Otos, Edward John Quam, Maynard I. LeRoy Christianson, and Clarence Gerhard Strom.

1932—Frances Delores Nelson, Myrtle Harriet Haug, Gladys Josephine Emberland, Doris Eilene Johnson, Heidrun Aslaug Fostervold, Hazel Olive Tollefson, Frances Adeline Gundershaug, Harriet Victoria Fostervold, Eleanor Anna Marie Rasmussen, Helen G. Fostervold, Bernice Charlotte Dalien, Nora Johnson, Irene Genevieve Johnson, Harold Norman Johnson, Emil Junior Mekeland, Bernie Glen Lilleberg, Donovan Raymond Erickson, Willard Howard Farness, Parker Roland Greenfield, Olav Peder Fostervold, Lloyd Marvin Erickson, Earl Willard Johnson, Everett Gordon Birkeland, Douglas Wood Lyons, Lowell Woodrow Bakken, Oscar Henry Loge, Orville Leroy Moe, Elvin Oscar Melby, and Alger Milton Myers

1933—Thelma Sylvia Langager, Ruth Opal Nelson, Gladys Cecelia Kallevig, Christine Swenson, Anna Lenora Melby, Ida Louise Madison, Florence Peterson, Lillian Evangeline Hanson, Clara Marie Haugen, Elizabeth Youngberg, Vivian Irene Forsberg, Jane Marjorie Halvorson, Crystal Maxine Berg, Delores Maxine Kallevig, Gladys Purdella Tolbertson, Gebora Henrietta Norby, Courtland Jerome Dalheim, Stanley Cartwright Pederson, Robert Frederick Jones, Walter Manley Rude, Ronald Emery Ostlund, Willys Franklin Fladeboe, Laurence Doaine Bakken, Lowell Ellsworth Johnson, Milford Stanley Larson, Robert Arnold Holland, Donald Harris Haug, Lloyd E. Reigstad, Earl Adolphus Otterness, John Mylo Roland Christienson, Waldo Russell Peterson, and Marvin Arnold Reigstad.

1934—Marjorie Ethel Gunderson, Olive Vivian Eliason, Ingeborg Rebecca Nelson, Rosella Evangeline Haug, Florence A. Kallevig, Esther Sophia Anderson, Gladys Lorraine Trulson, Evelyn Adeline Kallevig, Alice Elaine Nelson, Helen Marian Pederson, Joan Kathryn Quam, Geneva Jean Kores, Genevieve Geraldine Prescott, Thelma Elizabeth Johnson, Fern Gladys Simenson, Gladys Swenson, Mae Elaine Eunice Ostlund, Florence Martha Dalien, Lorraine Grace Howell, John Craiger Jones, Kenneth George Pederson, Arvis Juane Myers, Myron Eldred Isaacson, Clarence Orlean Birkeland, Alton Kermit E. Carlson, Willia Loren Hanson, Truman Lloyd Langager, Gerald Ludvig Hanson, Clarence Oliver Emberland, Charles Roger Halvorson, Palmer Jasper Otterness, Daniel Robert Douglas, Orlyn Allen Stai, and Benjamin Noah Gunderson.

1935—Orral Helen Langager, Stella Harriet Anderson, Phyllis Irene Nygaard, Hannah Marie Johnson, Anna Bertina Akre, Alma Lenora Okland, Eunice

Marian Rusten, Marjorie Mae Shamp, Ellen Margaret Gundershaug, Olea Violet Melby, Agnes Blanche Olstead, Laura Adeline Reigstad, Alice Evangeline Evenson, Evelyn Myrtle Bergum, Pearl Juliet Madison, Maynard Stanley Kallevig, Ralph Milton Pederson, Ward Brisbine W. Hanson, Richard Rasmussen, LuVerne Lewis Nelson, Ronald Henry Haugen, Merle Arthur Anderson, Stanley Gordon Nelson, Chester Leroy Olson, Luverne Harding Haug, Keith Milford Kelly, Kenneth Ruben Myers, Clarence Edward Jensen, Ervin Richard Goehring, Oliver Emil Quam, Duaine Elwood Flygare, and Ervin Victor Gunderson.

1936—Doris Marion Smith, Dorothy Marion Johnson, Evelyn Corrine Johnson, Elsie Jeanette Rykken, Helen Doris Pederson, Marjorie Lucille Birkland, Marvis Eleanor Hogan, Beatrice Lucille Alvig, Eunice Delores Falk, Evangelyn Kallevig, Katherine Louise Neitzel, Alice Adeline Larson, Marie Swenson, Florence Pearl Frayseth, Marvel Lorraine Dengerud, Olive Viola Overton, Harriet Marie Loge, Rolf Einar Fostervold, Robert James Anderson, Kenneth William Bakken, Carlton Albin Johnson, Grant Leroy Farness, Morris Benjamin Hanson, Wilhelm Casper Johnson, Harvey Elroy Lind, Arlow Donald Hanson, Roger James Lobnitz, Woodrow William Lobnitz, Marvin Richard Johnson, Quentin Hans R. Norby, Donald Charles Miner, Ernest Norman Peterson, Roger Sheldon Erickson, Melvin Bennard Strom, Ellsworth Russel Quam, and James Benjamin Shamp.

1937—Myrtle Amanda Melby, Edwina Clara Hane, Evelyn Jeanette Stai, Genevieve Elaine Fransen, Mary Helen Langager, Marjorie Elaine Card, Norma Mae Johnson, Griselda Beatrice Norbie, Virginia Doris Johnson, Pauline Eleanor Norby, Delores Anita Jacobson, Ardith Marie Johnson, Shirley Carol Langager, Audrey Mae Myers, Lillian Anna Peterson, Fredieth Virginia Ruh, Alice Lorraine Johnson, Merold Sletten Tommerraasen, Marvin Palmer Rusten, Odd Reidar Fostervold, Dennis Harlow Nelson, Donald Melvin Langager, Douglas Howard Langager, Morris Eugene Myers, Gordon Wendell Trulson, Robert Norman Birkeland, Arne Theodore Fostervold, Manford Arthur Otterness, Gordon James Goehring, Earling Reynold Emberland, Harland Elmore Meyers, and Robert Allan Peterson.

1938—Helen Lorraine Greenfield, Lois Ilene Smith, Marian Lorraine Tommerraasen, Joyce Margurite Fransen, Eunice Bernice Knutson, Eleanor Jeanette Otterness, Gladys Adelia Akre, Borghild Agnetti Friberg, Ruth Lorraine Gundershaug, Thelma Louise Johnson, June Maybelle Ruh, Ruth Wareberg, June Muriel Card, Lorraine Ann Shamp, Audrey Mae Nelson, Merlin Douglas Forsberg, Curtis LeRoy Mickelson, Robert Edward Johnson, Robert Delmont Frayseth, Lyle Lambert Strand, Lloyd Clarion Kallevig, Philip Nathaniel Johnson, Arthur Donald Birkeland, Harold Thorvald Kallevig, Herman Julius Hookom, Francis LeRoy Haug, Floyd Kenneth Miner, Calvin Arnold Carlson, and Roy Clifford Madison.

1939—Doris Marian Peterson, Margaret Louise Nelson, Virginia Mariam Larson, Katherine Lorraine Frovik, Ilene Georgene Lindsoe, Mildred Irene Olstad, Alice Marion Johnson, Allegra Naomi Norby, Delores Elenor Hoiseth, Grace Irene Eunice Dalien, Harland Faust Halverson, Oliver Augustine Melby, Marvin Luther Lind, Mentor Kermit Goehring, Marvin Edgar Ostlund, Arnold Leonard Jensen, Kenneth Miles Otis Oslund, Ellsworth Clifford Magnuson, Frank Leonard Carlson, Luther Haaken Rodvik, Robert Julius Fransen, Earl Dennis Sandberg, Quinton Iver Hookom, Roy Leonard Martinson, Jay Arnold G. Jacobson, Lawrence Gordon Carlson, Carl Gale Martenson.

1940—Gustav Erik Johnson, Gordon Kermit Emberland, Gerald Allen O. Alvig, Marvin Donald Kallevig, Paul Robert Johnson, Mearl Emlin Nelson, Leroy Willard Olson, Vaughn Lowell Shamp, Donald Clifton Simenson, Orville Leonard Olson, Dean Barrt Smith, Roger Eugene Nelson, Calvin Roger Westphal, Dorothy Elaine Nelson, Anna Marie Birkeland, Clara Mathilda Johnson, Laurel Corrine Fransen, Marion Elaine Birkeland, Dorothy Ann Card, Ruth Dagnay Frovik, Margie Lorraine Carlson, Harriet Eloise Hookom, Dorothy Dean Johnson, Evelyn Maxine Johnson, Agnes Thressa Loge, and Thelma Wareberg.

1941—Marie Matilda Akre, John Burton Anderson, Luella Sylvia Arntzen, Marvel Arlaine Berg, Robert Wayne Forsberg, Virginia Mae Fransen, Donald Elmer Gunderson, Elenora Arlene Hansen, Elda May Hanson, Leander Harlan Hoiseth, Leo Henry Hoy, Curtis Vincent Jacobson, Margaret Ditson Jones, Orville Vernon Kallevig, Gladys Arlene Knutson, Loren Thorwald Lindsoe, Milo Clayton Mickelson, Carrie June Mortenson, Esther Louise Olson, Doris

Daphne Ione Oslund, Elsie Magnia Peterson, Vincent Gerald Quam, Marilyn Lucille Rykken, Delores Lucille Sanderson, Earl Merton Tommerraasen, and Elizabeth Ann Westphal.

1942—Gladys Eline Alvig, Harlowe Anderson, Betty Lou Card, Orline Morris Carlson, Vernon Clarion Carlson, Donald Lawrence Ditmarson, Margaret Lucille Fransen, Harriet Isobel Hillerman, Shirley Ann Hookom, Maxine Lucyle Howell, Alice Meriam Jensen, Eldon LeRoy Johnson, Earl Daniel Larson, James Howard Madison, Leonard Oswald Melby, Johnnie Odell Modtland, Joyce Arleen Nelson, Orlin Eugene Nelson, Audry Imogene Norbie, Robert Ira Olson, Roger William Otterness, Donald LeMars Peterson, Julian Robert Peterson, Virginia Dora Skoglund, and Duane Harlow Strand.

1943—Helen Rose Akre, Lois Marilyn Amundson, Betty Mae Berg, Marcella Lorraine Carlson, Arlene Winnifred Dokken, Thelma Sylvia June Farness, Dolores Beverly Gynild, Marcia Jeanne Hed, Carol Pernelle Mickelson, Beatrice Maxine Nelson, Betty Jean Reigstad, Delores Jean Shamp, Robert Duaine Nash, Ernest Carroll Modtland, Clifford Norman Kallevig, Milton Melbourne Hamann, Virgil Leonard Halverson, Robert Morris Goehring, Paul Orris Frieberg, Ronald Newton Fladebo, Maynard Emberland, Gerald Anthony Carlson, Maurice Ellsworth Bjork, Eugene Clarence Berg, Eugene Carlton Anderson, Mary D. Fransen, Lowell Murray Jacobson, and Roger J. Rasmussen.

1944—Elmer Pederson, Eugene Nelson, Margaret Elaine Holland, Marlin Adolph Koestler, Phyllis Ann Larson, Vern Everett Mortenson, Helen Jean Mortenson, Joyce T. Elaine Oslund, Barbara Jean Risvold, Jeanne Fransen, Maxine Fransen, and Signe Jacobson.

1945—Helen Marie Olsstad, Doris Elizabeth Olson, Ruth Delores Akre, Jean Birkland, Charlotte Mathilda Danielson, Delores Ann Dokken, Evangeline Ann Farness, Vivian Elaine Haugen, Russell Hillerman, Betty Lou Hopkins, Dorothy Marie Hubbard, William Henry Magnuson, Burton Julian Mickelson, Arlene Grace Nelson, Iris Claire Nelson, Winnifred Helen Pfau, Gloria Rose Quam, Robert James Cornell, Ronald Loren Hanson, Robert Charles Holt, Marilyn Lee Peterson, Marvin Joseph Peterson and Donald Ellsworth Rykken.

1946—Marlyce Beverly Anderson, Laurel Jean Benson, Betty Virginia Berg, Carol Jeanette Berg, Marion Emberland, June Marion Gunderson, Lila Clara Johnson, Faye LeVonne Latterell, Geraldine Lois Oslund, Donna LaVonne Simenson, Arnt George Arntzen, Randolph Stanley Arntzen, Eugene Orval Bruns, Virgil Alloys Bjork, Marlin Herbert Forstrom, Charles Mark Holt, Warren Du Wayne Lyngholm, Marjorie June Modtland, Donald Leon Nash, Carl Oslund, Harlyn Eugene Reese, Maurice John Westphal, Donald Fransen, and John Peter Fransen.

1947—Lucille Carlson, Mary Jean Danielson, Marilyn R. Hanson, Betty E. Lanz, Barbara Ann Olson, Rosamonde A. Pederson, Ruth Ann Peterson, Carol L. Trongaard, Arne E. Gynild, Simon R. Knutson, Myron M. Mayer, Vernelle L. Mickelson, Dwayne A. Netland, Ardene Peterson, Darrel C. Strand, Marvin P. Vinje, Ralph Berg, Mary Ann Hamness, and Orville T. Jacobson.

1948—Marie Brix, Helen Haines, Carol Hoiseth, Arlene Olson, Phyllis Anne Olson, Marmion Nelson, Ethel Steinhilber, John Halverson, David Hed, Delbert Hopkins, Wayne Jordahl, Clyde Peterson, and Lowell Skansgaard.

1949—Richard Berg, Audrey Birkland, Donald Carlson, Gerald Carlson, Donna Dalien, Bruce Fransen, David Fransen, Lee Ann Goos, John Haines, Pearl Jacobson, Jean Langager, Jerome Lanz, Gerald Latterell, Donna Mayer, Donna Olson, Gaylord Olson, Marvin Orsten, Ardis Peterson, Harold Risvold, Mary Jane Rusten, Helen Sandberg, Jeanette Sandven, Lyle Simenson, and Wanda Simenson.

1950—Marilyn Ardelle Leines, Janet Leone Hopkins, Janell Lenore Hopkins, Delores Adeline Hanson, Myrtella Thelma Brix, James Leo Dokken, Carolyn Joyce Westphal, Ardis Elaine Trongaard, Vivian Viola Steinhilber, Rosella Ruter, Ellen Naomi Oslund, Patricia Ann Oman, Marilyn Duane Olson, and Gervaise Ethel Norbie.

1951—Arlene Patricia Berg, Gail Katherine Burke, Verlyce Idell Donner, Shirley Ann Emberland, Emilyn Evelyn Gynild, Elaine Idella Hanson, Kathryn June Nelson, Cheryl Yvonne Olson, Bernadine Marie Pechacek, Shirley Ann Peterson, Shirley Ann Solberg, Orial Buer, Merwyn Richard Eliason, Charles Allen Erpenback, Arden Charles Modtland, Charles Andrew Nelson, John Milo Ny-

gaard, Richard Larry Reigstad, Donald LeRoy Steinhilber, and Arnold Paul Vossen

1952—Paul Aasen, Richard Carlson, Roy Carlson, Curtis Dalien, Gwendolyn Donner, Sandra Eliason, Bonita Holmquist, Jarres Jacobson, Richard Melby, Gracia Olson, Joann Olsen, Gary Oman, Edward Orsten, Patricia Shelman, and Mary Ann Wold.

1953—John Amundson, Marlene Bjork, Myron Carlson, JoAnn Eliason, Arnold Friehl, Harold Friehl, Michael Jacobson, Sharon Jordahl, Eugene Nelson, Dennis Opheim, James Pederson, Judy Quam, Donald Richardson, Donavon Risvold, Ann Rykken, Barbara Rykken, Dellis Simenson, David Skramstad, Vivian Starkson, and Donna Welch.

1954—Barbara Buer, Doreen Christianson, Vianne Eliason, Elizabeth Hanson, Beverly Hanson, Elaine Hegreberg, Robert Johnson, Ronald Lohn, James Nelson, William Nelson, Carol Niemeyer, Emelaine Norbie, Beverly Norheim, Carol Olson, Sharon Olson, David Pederson, Myron Peters, Gerald Thorpe, Janet Westby, Bruce Westphal, and John Wold.

1955—Carol Aasen, Caryn Aasen, Donald Anderson, Gayle Emberland, Paul Engwall, Ilene Hamann, Lary Hanson, Wayne Hanson, Bruce Haugen, Elaine Hendrickson, Helen Hoglund, Howard Hoglund, Beverly Holmquist, James Johnson, Janet Kadlec, Gloria Lindblad, Jan Madsen, Dennis Marine, Pamela Myllenbeck, Sherman Pechacek, Richard Pederson, Doris Thorpe, Donald Vossen, and Richard Wold.

1956—Virginia Akerson, Sharon Allen, Karin Birkeland, Carol Bottge, Adair Eliason, Beverly Eliason, Karen Mae Wold, Norma Starkson, Everett Swart, Leland Thompson, Larry Simenson, Dean Skare, Larry Peterson, Karen Hanson, Susan Lindquist, Mary Hubbartt, Sandra Amundson, Sharon Nelson, Stephan Johnson, Shirley Olson, Dorothy Richardson, Donald Hegreberg, Nancy Johnson, Algene Vossen, Dennis Rykken, Bradley Holt, Kenneth Carlson, Larry Ellingboe, Luverne Tvete, Diane Simenson, Carol Jean Agre, Sidney Oral Agre, Larry Holmquist, Sonja Jacobson, Charles Thorpe, and Judy Wicklund.

1957—Karin Anderson, Sharon Anderson, Karol Berg, John Birkeland, David Bjork, Merle Hagen, Gary Hanson, Robert Hanson, Kallman Kallevig, Bruce Langager, Patty Lundquist, Wesley Martinson, Bruce Netland, Terry Newkirk, Tommy Newkirk, Arnold Norheim, Mary Lu Olsen, Carol Olson, Elroy Olson, Sharon Pederson, Marc Reese, Roger Selin, Ruth Ann Smith, Paul Steigerwald, Barbara Strom, Gale Swart, Dianne Swenson, Evelyn Thorpe, David Van Buren, Jerome Vossen, Jerry Wangsness, Judy Wold, Edwin Selvig, Jr., and Ruby Vinje.

1958—Carole Jean Akre, Ronald Wayne Call, Evelyn Marie Christenson, Mary Ann Cogelow, Naomi Marie Eliason, Tommy Michael Ellingboe, Wayne Sidney Emberland, Sharon Kay Felton, Beverly May Frederickson, Stephen Joseph Gilbertson, Gayle Marilyn Hansen, Marlene Lorayne Hegreberg, Richard Lee Latterell, James Lesley Quale, Thomas Gary Renstrom, Ruth Nell Rykken, Gary Allen Solbrack, Patricia Dianne Strom, Marvin Arthur Trongaard, Karen Kay Van Buren, Janet Marie Vinje, Karen Gay Vossen, and Charles Fredrick Wright.

1959—Rita Mauren Akerson, Diane Elaine Anderson, LaDonna Marie Anderson, Robert Elroy Anderson, George Arthur Berg, Karen Kay Buer, Jerold Ernest Bruns, Martin Joseph Chekel, John Merton Christianson, Lorraine Elizabeth Eliason, Carolyn June Hanson, Dennis Milroy Hanson, Elmer Thomas Hanson, Jr. Jerome Allen Hanson, Virginia May Heldenbrand, Katherine R. Hoglund, John Roger Holland, Caryn Gay Hultgren, Diana Lou Johnson, Luan Carol Johnson, Susan Kay Johnson, Bruce ElRoy Kallevig, Susan Elizabeth Madsen, Carolyn E. Melby, Karen Marie Nelson, Julie Ann Newkirk, Kathleen Gayle Nygaard, Patricia Kay Olsen, Wayne Eugene Olson, Larry Leighton Pederson, Thomas John Pederson, JoAnn Elaine Peterson, Arlene Henrietta Sandbo, Dean Rodney Shelman, Nelbert Leighton Starkson, Dennis William Strom, Dennis Selmer Thorpe, and Craig David Westphal.

1960—Carol Jean Carlson, Nancy Elizabeth Classen, Dann C. Dahlseid, John Harlan Brix, Donald Eugene Emberland, Judith Ann Marie Evenson, Carol Jean Fergeson, Elizabeth Marie Grahn, Joanne Lois Halls, Donna Lee Halvorson, Rebecca Ann Haugen, Carol Joy Iverson, Gary Wayne Johnson, Sharon Ellen Haugen, Darlene Gloria Kallevig, Connie Nelson, Larry Allan Olson, James

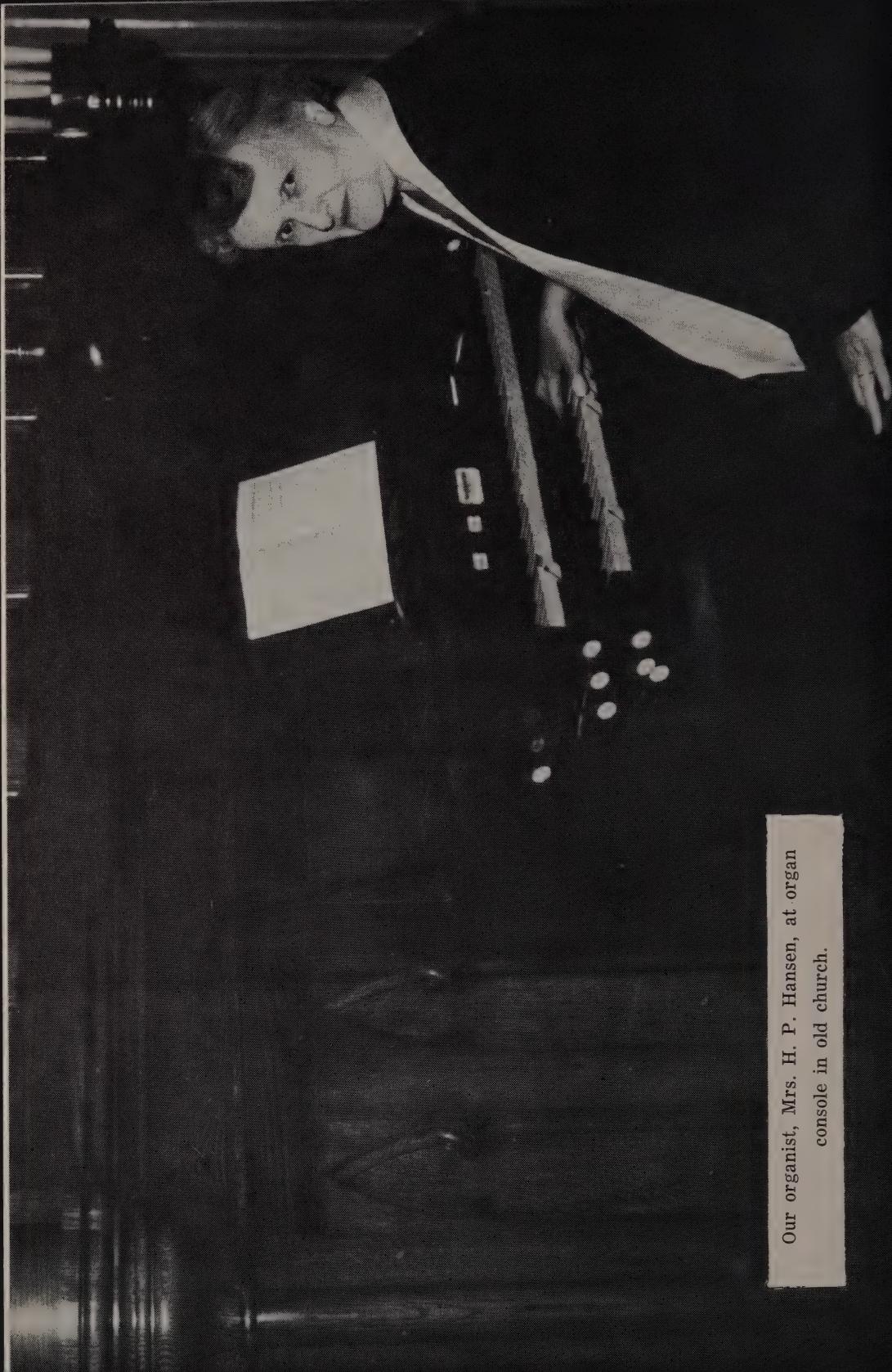
Roy Peters, Jack Leroy Peterson, Janet Kay Rykken, Janet Deanna Skare, Janise Diane Skare, Carol Ann Solbrack, David Larry VanOrt, Shirley Jane Vossen, Roger Hanson Welch, Veronica Elaine Wold, Beverly Jean Woltjer, and Karen Phyllis Lindblad (confirmed at Faribault on May 8, 1960).

1961—Kathy Maureen Abrahamson, Charlotte Lee Allen, Douglas Arthur Anderson, Karin Julie Bakken, Keith Alan Bottge, Joanne Wanda Bruns, Gwen Lynn Chekel, Steven Brice Ellingboe, Marlyn John Evenson, Evelyn Mae Friehl, Michael Allan George, Shirley Ann George, John Melvin Gilbertson, Harold Gordon Goehring, Lauretta Mae Gynild, MaryAnn Helen Hegreberg, Carol Diane Hoglund, Stuart Ross Holmquist, Bonny Kaye Jacobson, Debbie Kathleen Johnson, Karen Lee Johnson, Michael Allan Johnson, Thalia Meredith Johnson, Ross Milford Larson, Charlette Ilene Loge, Bruce Franklin Lohn, Doris Mae Moravetz, David Orlando Nelson, James Miner Olson, Robert Wayne Oman, Jane Ann Rasmussen, Lorna Maureen Reese, Mary Alice Skare, Suzanne Claire Skramstad, Gudrun Renae Smith, Robert Allen Strom, Jeffrey Gene Strootman, Shirley Nila Thorpe, Diannia Lee VanOrt, and Zona Gayle Wicklund.

1962—Shirley Darlene Strom, Diane Nomae Tinnes, Janice Elaine Olson, Jane Camille Eliason, Kay Lynn Johnson, Sue Ann Dennyce Starkson, Jeanne Ellen Lorz, Lois Ann Strom, Marilyn Kay Gjerde, Diane Louise Lundquist, Bonnie Ann Goehring, Dianna Lee Ferguson, Rachel Lorraine Kallevig, Margaret Rose Cogelow, Karen Ann Wagner, Jini Gayle Nelson, Victoria Ann Tjernagel, Mary Jo Birkeland, Arlys Helen Sandbo, David Reid Skeie, James Elwood Emberland, Roy Robert Friehl, Daniel Alfred Sevig, Robert Lee Wold, James Allen Larson, Donald Richard Nelson, Jon Alan Erickson, Dale Stanley Okland, Donald Peter Steigerwald, Gary Allen Engebretson, Dale Eugene Wick, Terrell Carl E. Myllenebeck, Craig Morris Hanson, Robert Alan Halvorson, Steven Douglas Langager, Michael John Meyer, Michael Larry Hamann, and Larry Dennis Pederson.



Interior of Church Built in 1903



Our organist, Mrs. H. P. Hansen, at organ
console in old church.



Senior Choir—1962
Julian Framstad, Director
Mrs. H. P. Hansen, Accompanist

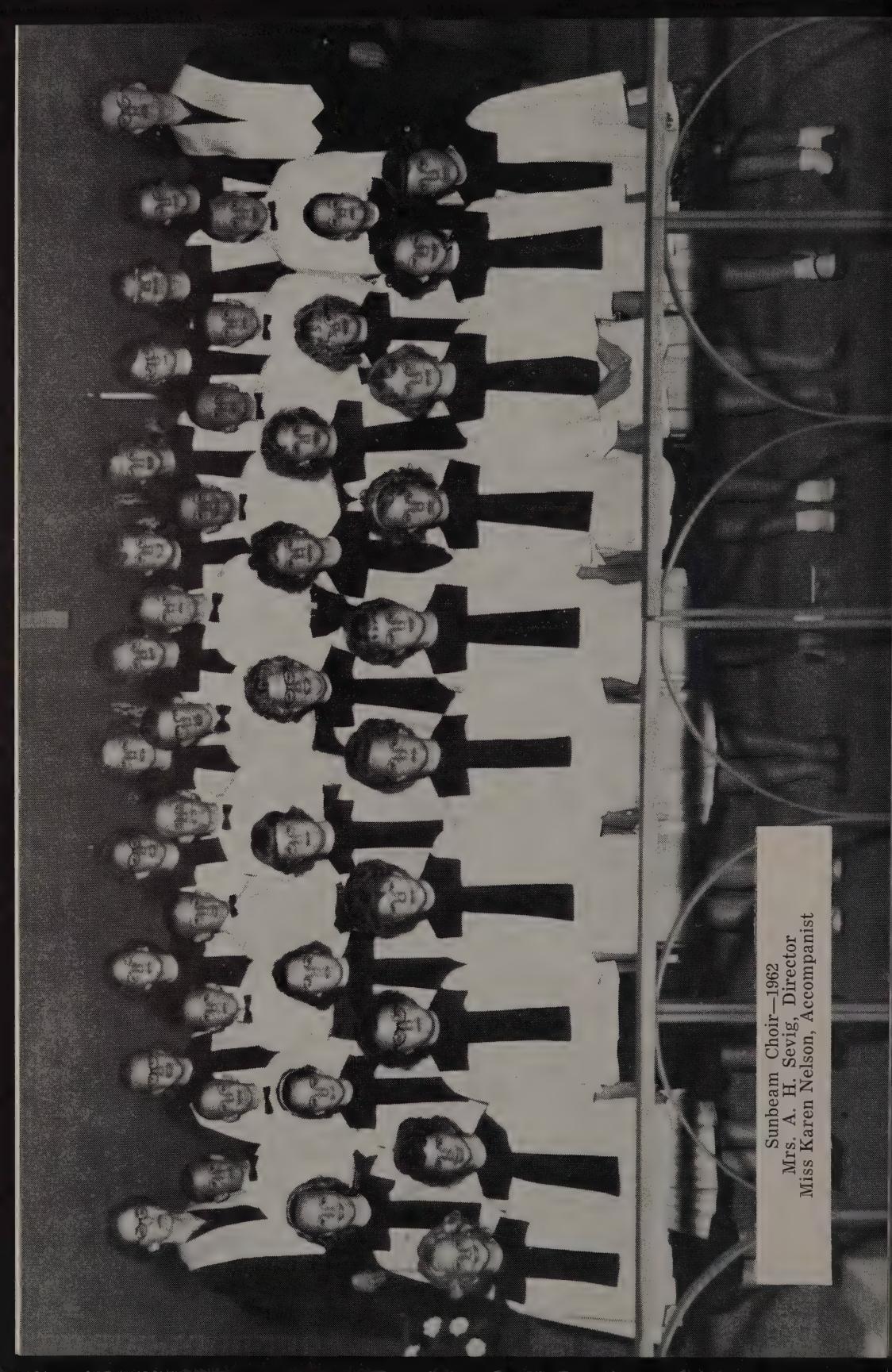


Men's Chorus—1962

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Girls Chorus—1962
Miss Dorothy Mattson, Director

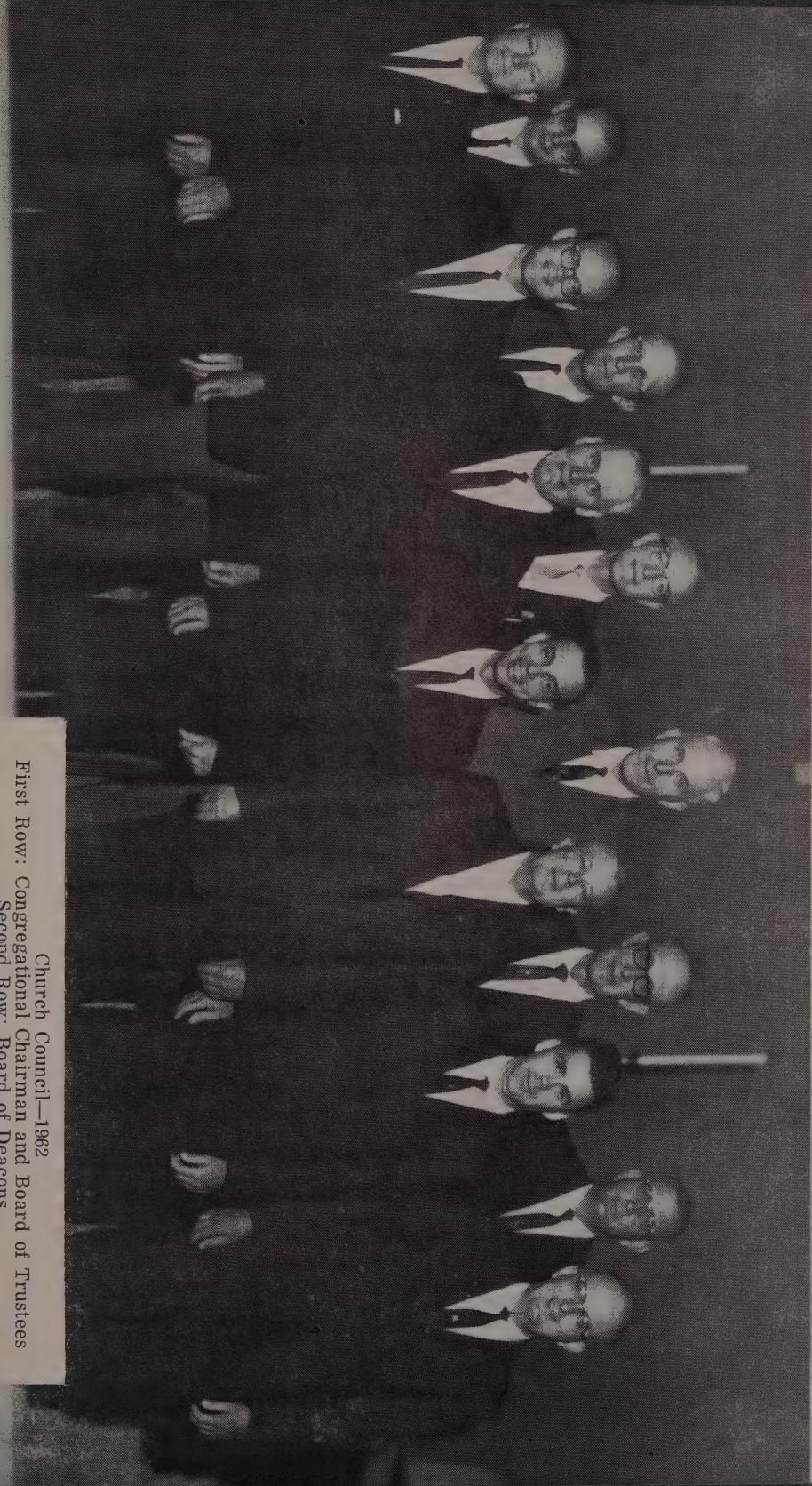




Sunbeam Choir—1962

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Miss Karen Nelson, Accompanist



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Accompanist, Miss Karen Nelson

Anniversary and Dedication Services

Friday, September 14, 1962

11:00 A.M.

Norwegian Communion Services

with Pastor Peder Konsterlie speaking

8:00 P.M.

Services with sons of the congregation participating:

Rev. Emil Kallevig, Rev. Lloyd Kallevig,

Rev. LuVerne Nelson, and Rev. Eugene Anderson

Saturday, September 15, 1962

6:30 P.M.

Congregational Dinner

Sunday, September 16, 1962

9:30 and 11:00 A.M.

Anniversary Services

with Rev. C. G. Olson as speaker

2:30 P.M.

Dedication Services

Organ Prelude "Jesu, Joy of Mans Desiring" Bach Mrs. H. P. Hansen
Opening Hymn "Built on the Rock"

Altar Service

Choir Anthem "Thy Kingdom Come, O Lord" - Senior Choir
Words of Welcome by the Pastor

Presentation of the Building by the Architect and Acceptance of the
Building by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees

Scripture Lessons by Visiting Pastors

Choir Anthem "Praise Ye the Lord, The Almighty" Combined Choirs

The Dedication Sermon - - - - Dr. John Stensvaag
President of the Lutheran Free Church

The Rite of Dedication

The Consecration Prayer

The Litany of Dedication

Hymn "Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation"

Announcements

Offertory "Jesus, Priceless Treasure" Lindeman Mrs. H. P. Hansen

Brief Greetings

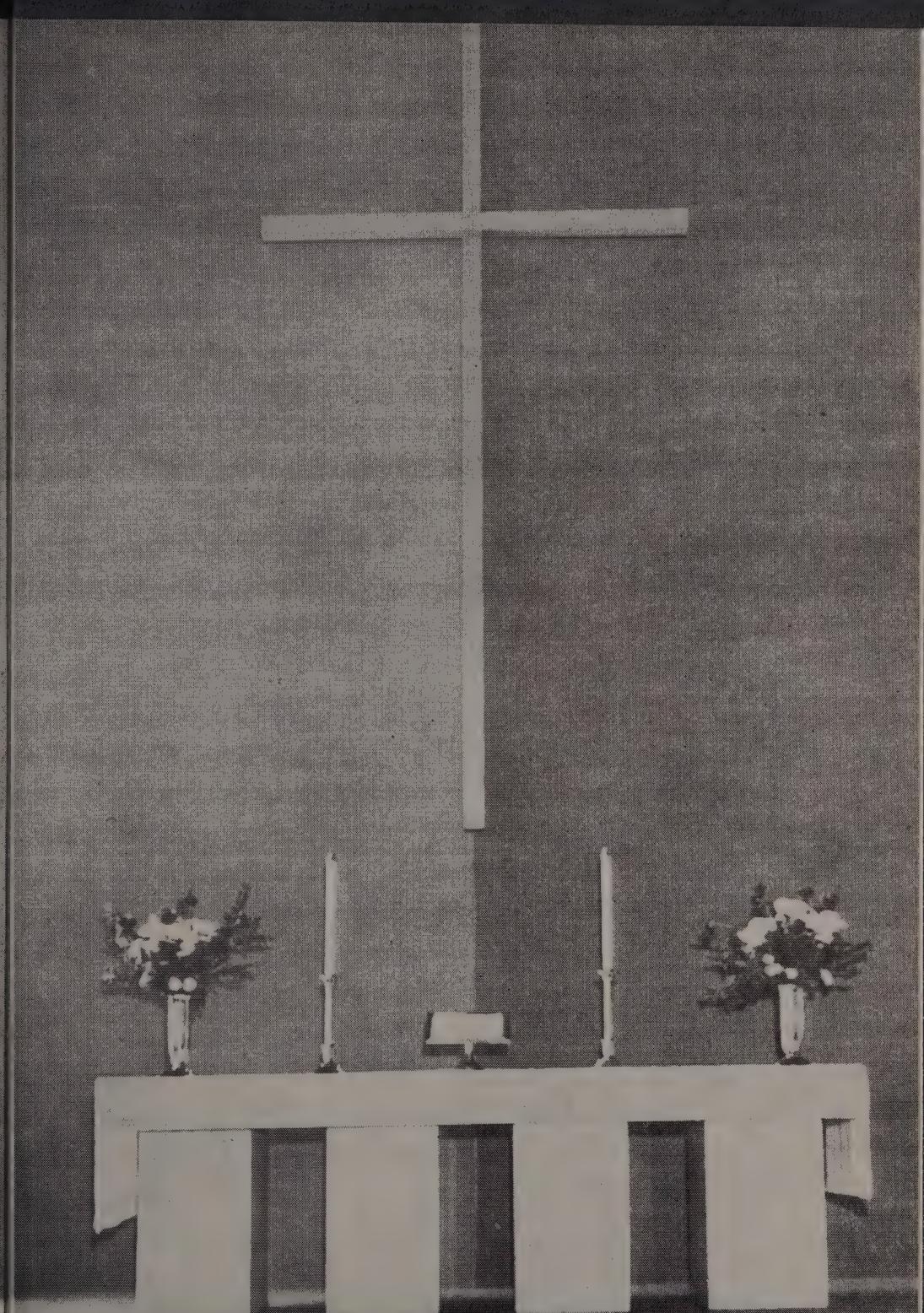
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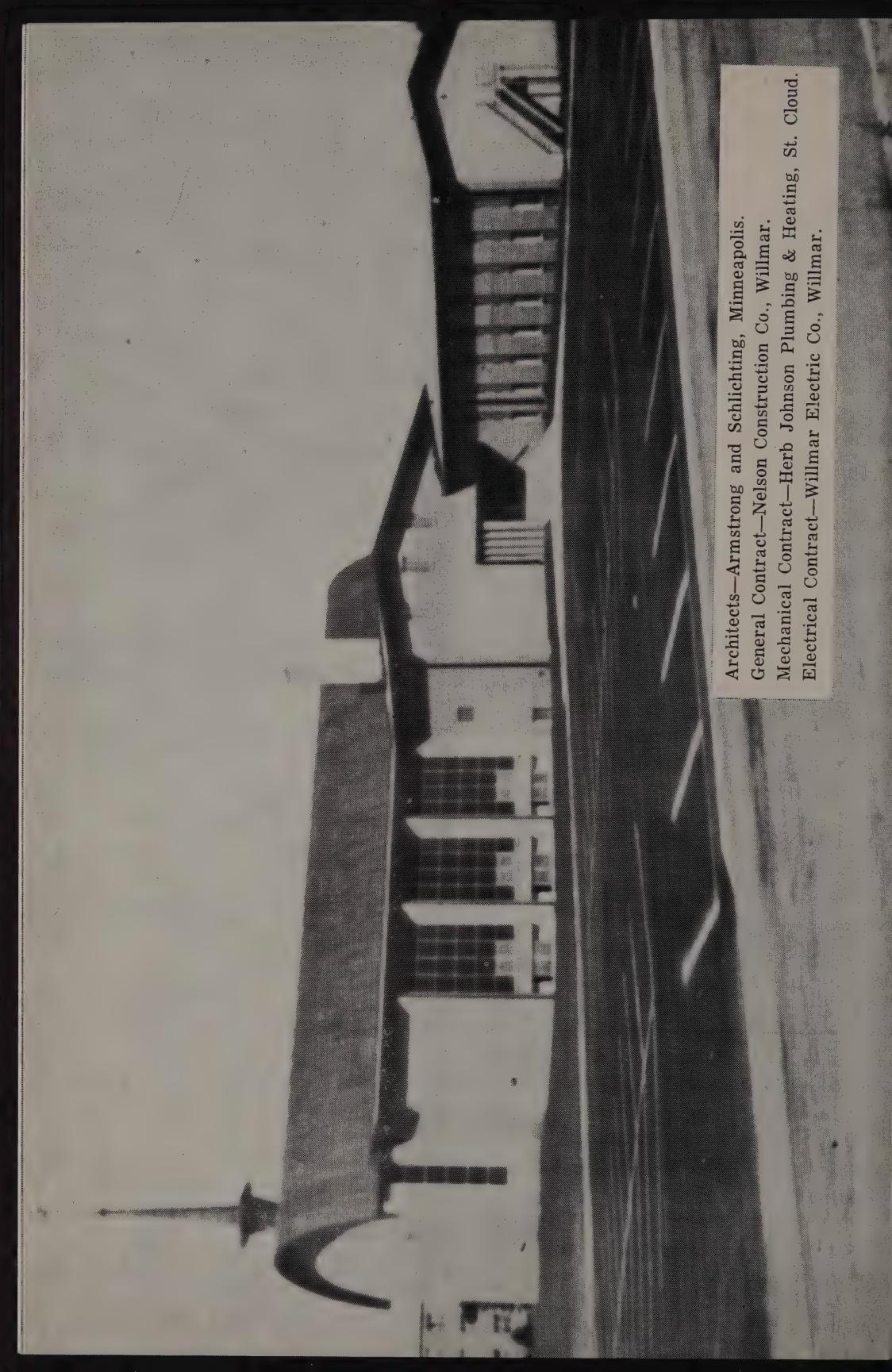
Organ Postlude "A Mighty Fortress is Our God" - -

Mrs. H. P. Hansen

Luther



**"Come unto me, all ye that labor and
are heavy laden, and I will give you
rest." Math. 11:28.**

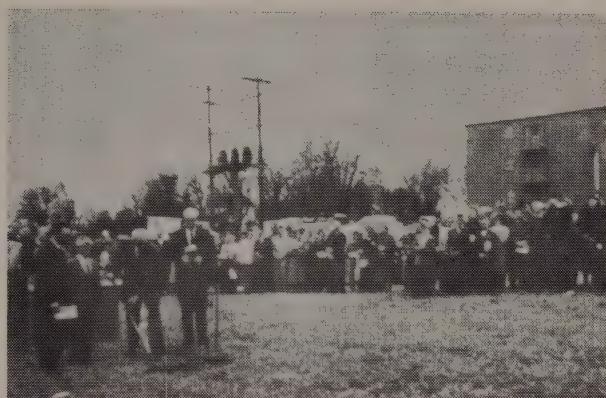


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Electrical Contract—Willmar Electric Co., Willmar.

Building Progress

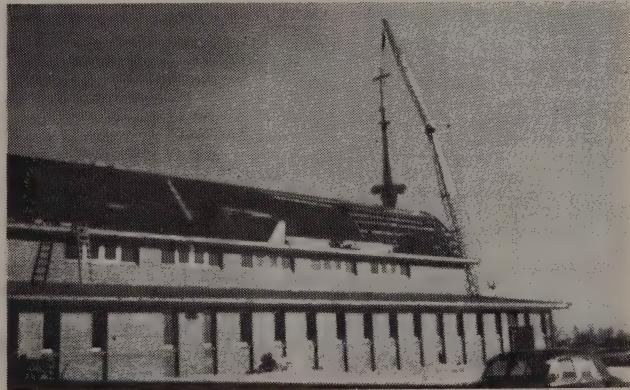
In the faith of
Jesus Christ this
work is begun and
this ground is
broken.

March 26, 1961



Built on the Rock
the church doth
stand.

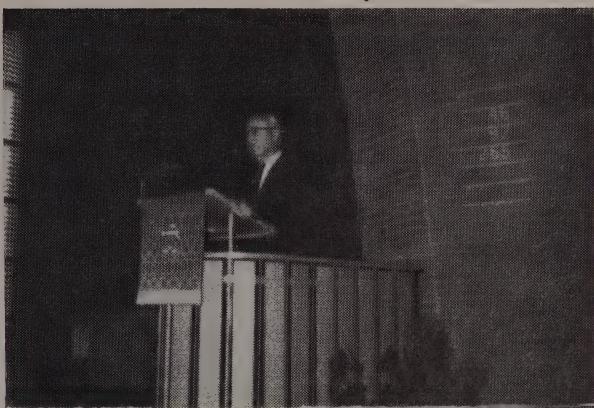
That thine eyes
may be open to-
ward this house
night and day.





*"I was glad when they said unto me,
Let us go into the house of the Lord."*

Worship



"For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord."

II Cor. 4:5

**"this do in re-
membrance of
me."**

Luke 22:19



**"baptizing them
in the name of the
Father, and of the
Son, and of the
Holy Ghost."**

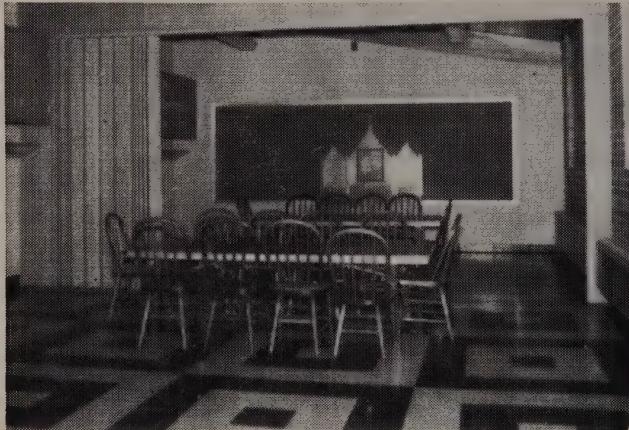
Math. 28:19

Teaching

We, too would
bring our treas-
ures to offer to
the King.

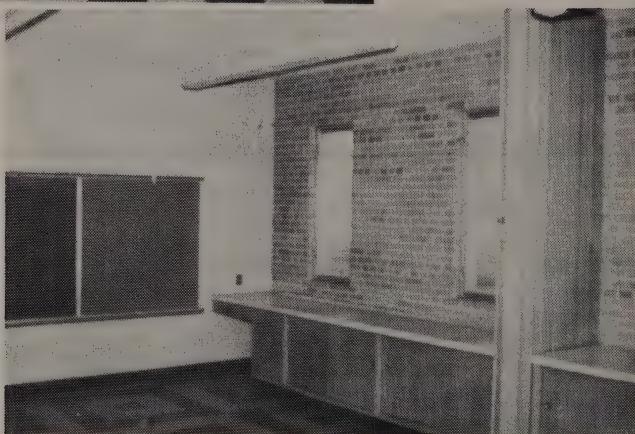


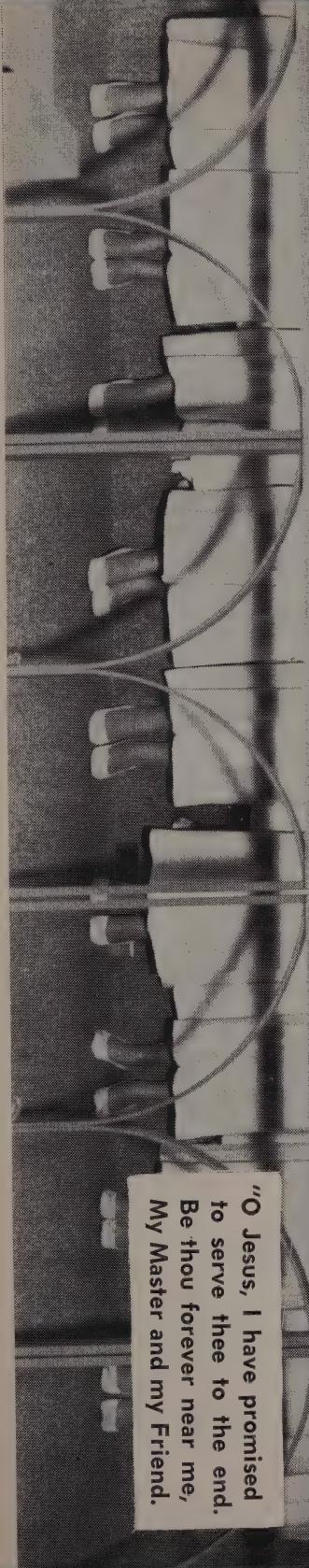
Presentation of \$1000.00 (Brick money) by Sunday School children for building of church and educational wing.



**"And thou shalt
teach them dili-
gently unto thy
children."**

Deut. 6:7





"O Jesus, I have promised
to serve thee to the end.
Be thou forever near me,
My Master and my Friend.



Fellowship

**"t h e f o l l o w s h i p
o f k i n d r e d m i n d s
i s l i k e t o t h a t
a b o v e . "**



Bethany Hall



**"W h e t h e r t h e r e-
f o r e y e e a t , o r
d r i n k , o r w h a t s o-
e v e r y e d o , d o a l l
t o t h e g l o r y o f
G o d . "**

II Cor. 10:31

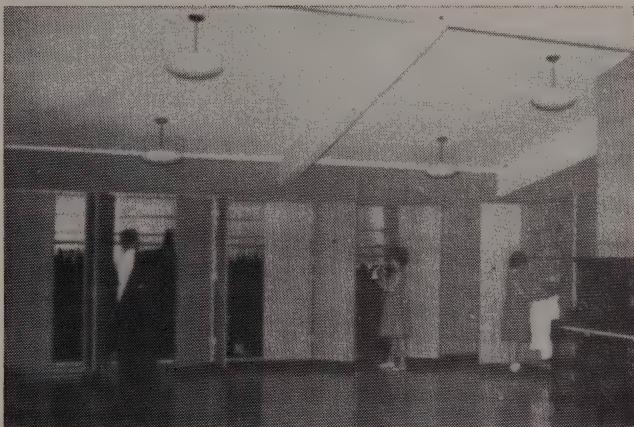
**"a n d t h e y c o n-
t i n u e d s t e a d f a s t l y
. . . i n f o l l o w s h i p
a n d i n b r e a k i n g
o f b r e a d a n d i n
p r a y e r s . "**

Acts 2:42



Friendship Room

Music



**"Serve the Lord
with gladness:
come before his
presence with
singing."**

Psalm 100:2



Administration

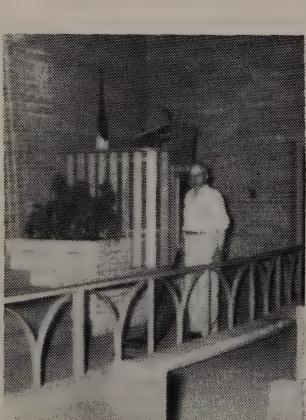
"Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord."

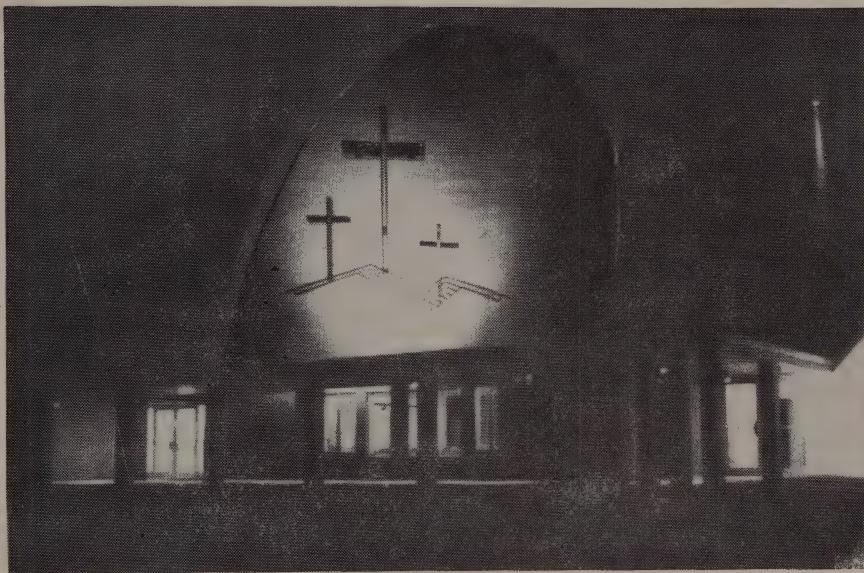
I. Cor. 12:4-5



"That ye walk worthy of the vocation wherewith ye are called."

Eph. 4:1





"Mercy there was great, and grace was free,
Pardon there was multiplied to me;
There my burdened soul found liberty,
At Calvary."



Consecration

At last we've built it! God's house!
We've dreamed about it, and the dream's come true
And now it stands all beautiful and new,
And we, who've sacrificed and watched it grow,
Are close to tears. We love it so.

What shall our prayer be? "Father
O grant that all who come to worship here
May feel Thee very close and very dear;
Make this the high resolve of every mind,
To walk with Thee, to serve mankind."



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Grace to you and joy!

On this doubly festive day, it is a pleasure to extend to you congratulations and good wishes on behalf of the congregations of the Lutheran Free Church.

The sanctuary which you have built is a fine forward step, a testimony to your labor and devotion to Christ. It is a testimony, too, to the never failing mercy of God.

But a sanctuary, even a beautiful one like this, is in itself only a building, only a house. The chief reason for our rejoicing is that Christ is here—in the Word and Sacraments. And because He is here, all who enter these doors may find in this place comfort and strength, forgiveness and life.

In grateful response, let us resolve this day to live more fully for God and to seek to draw many others to the blessings of this house. With such a dedication and such a purpose, the Christ of Calvary will be truly pleased.

Sincerely in Him,

John Stensvaag, President
Lutheran Free Church

Dedication
90th Anniversary
September 16, 1962

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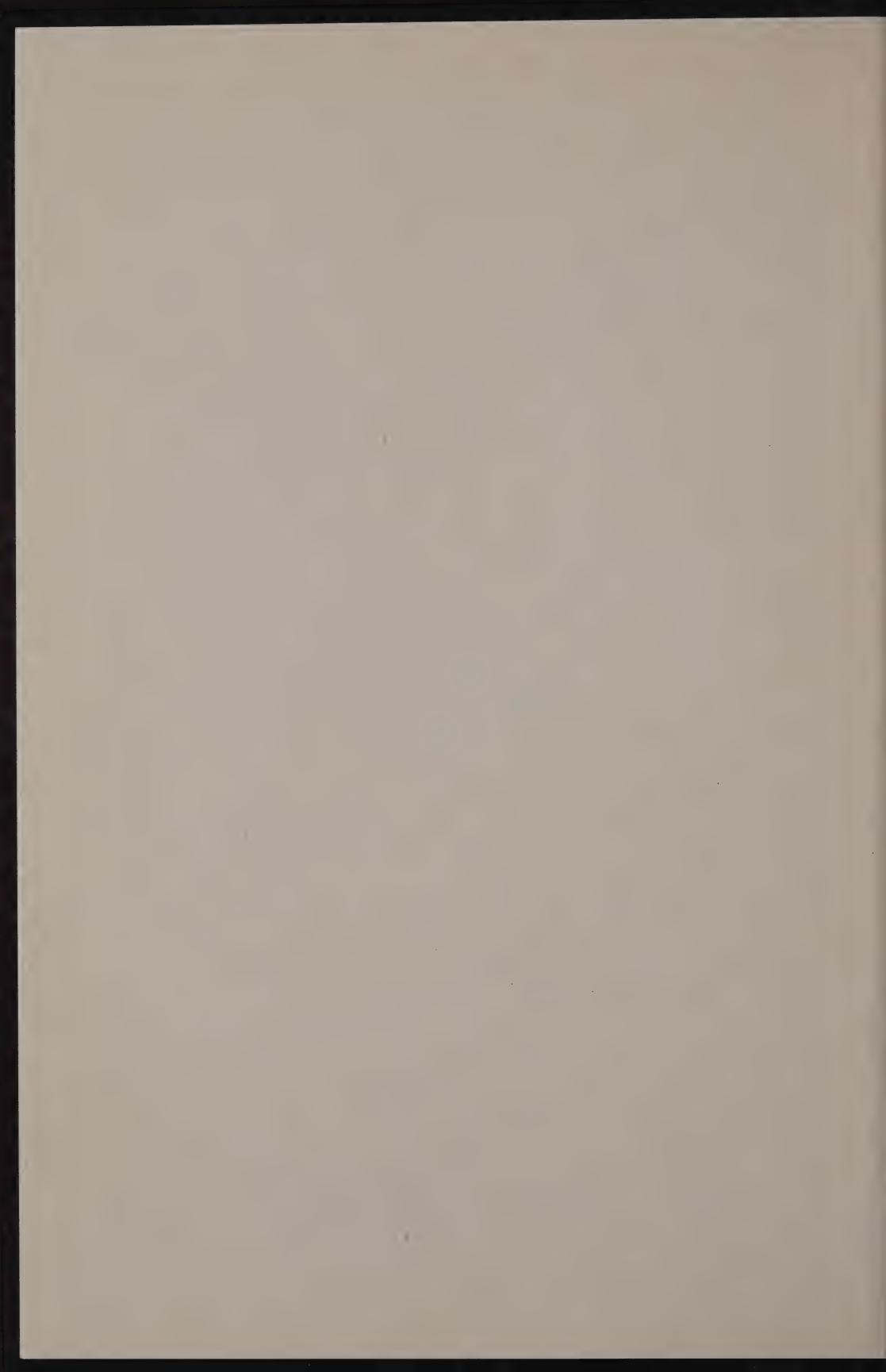
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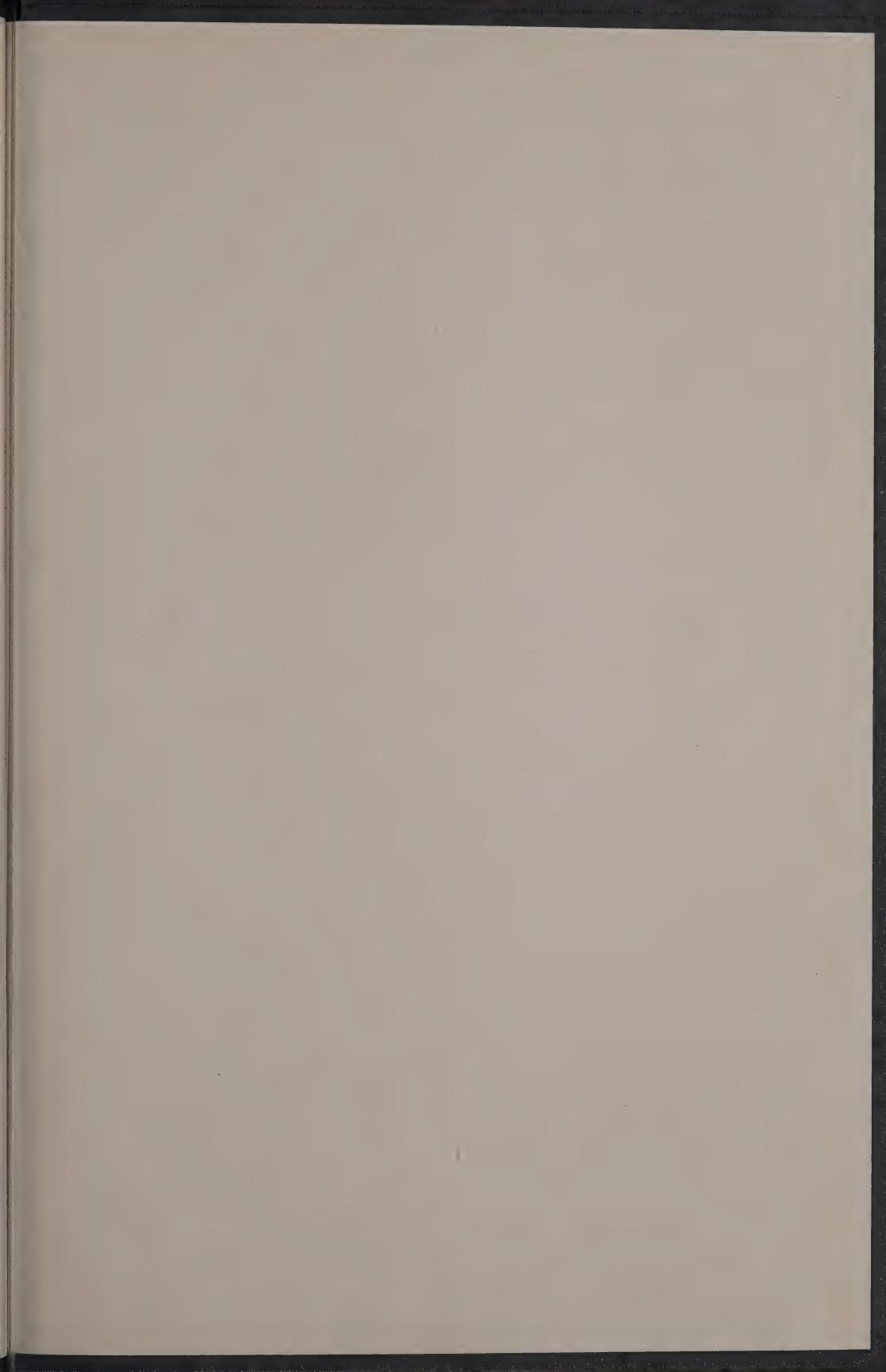
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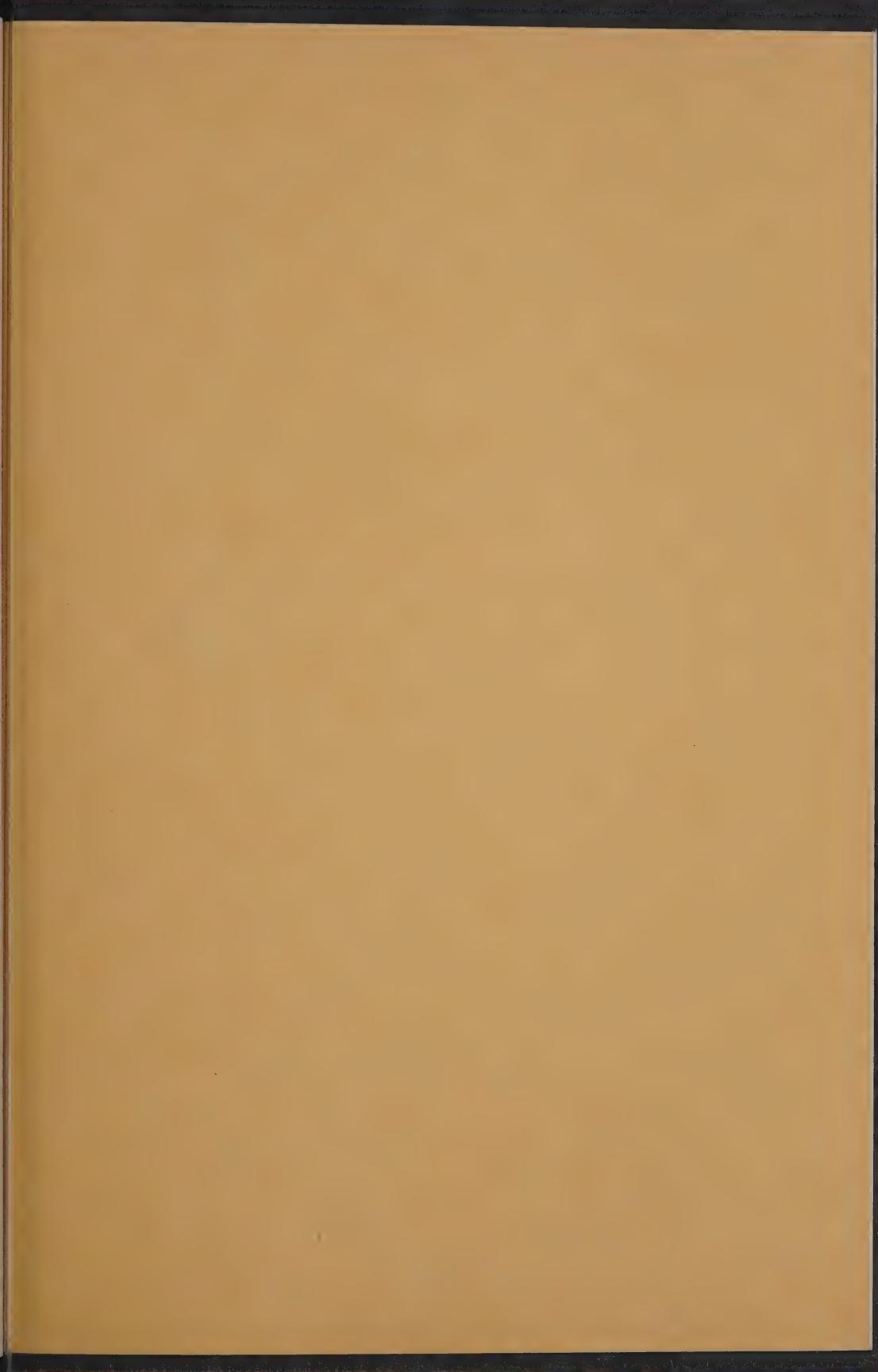
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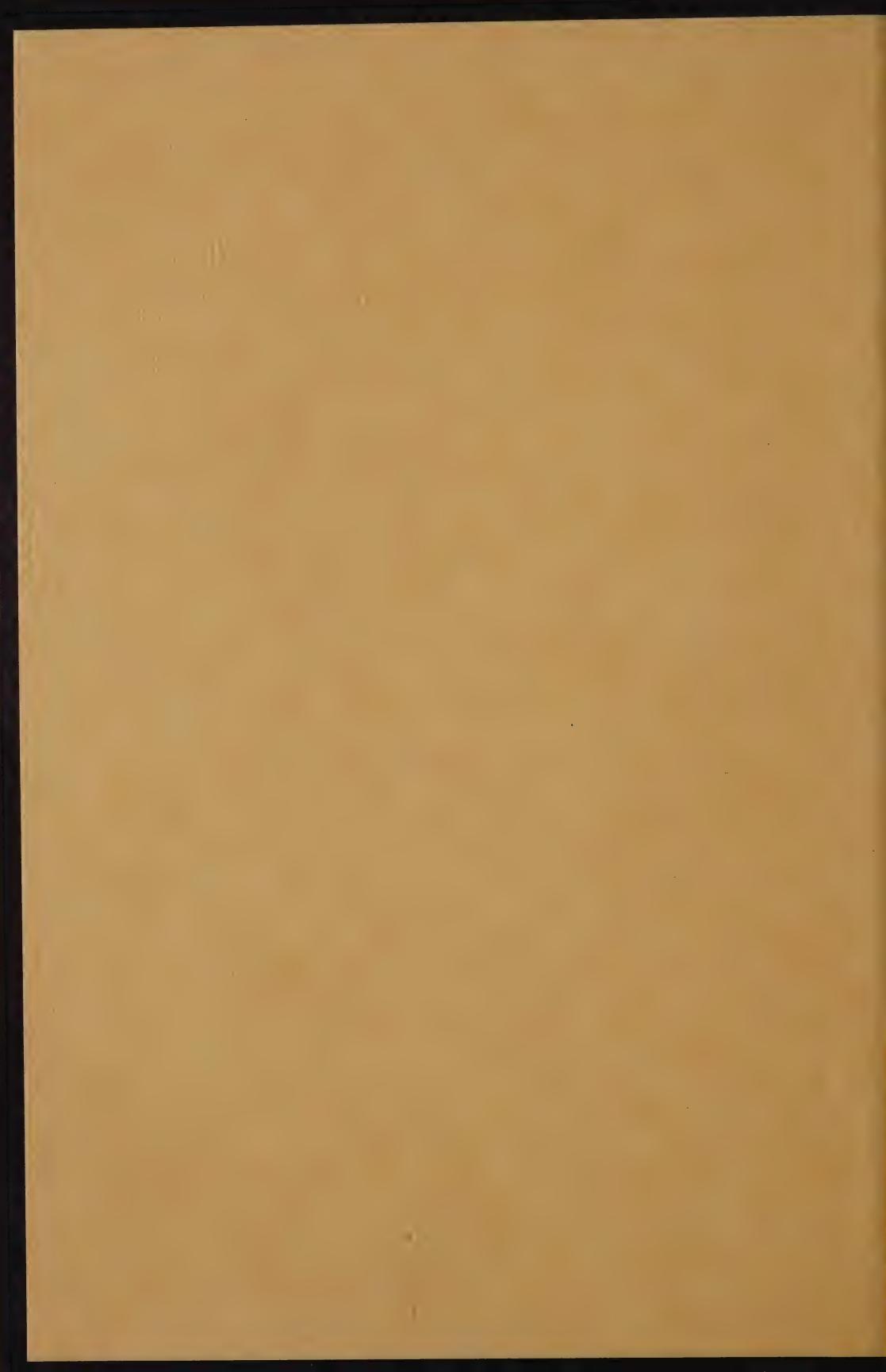
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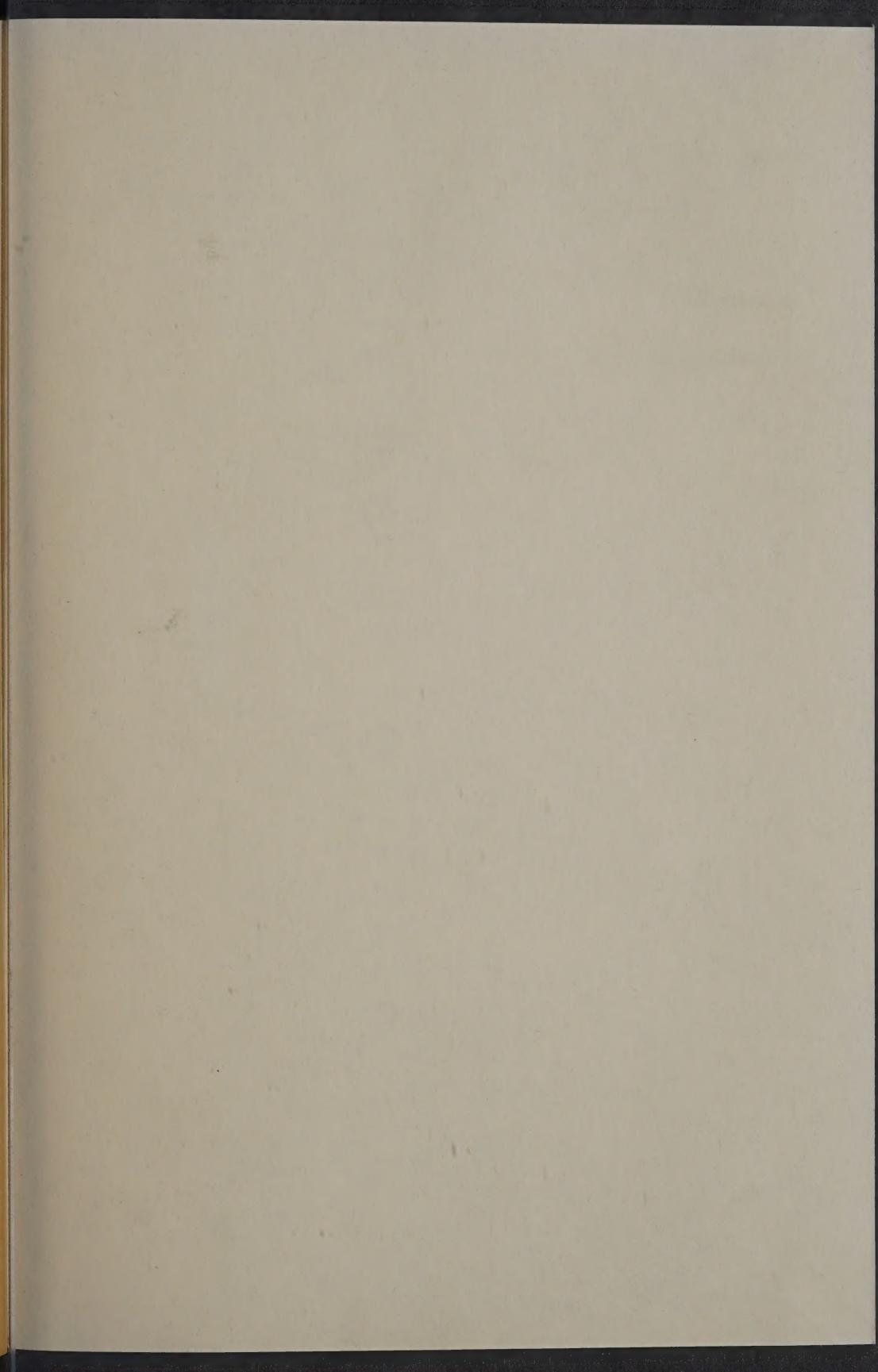


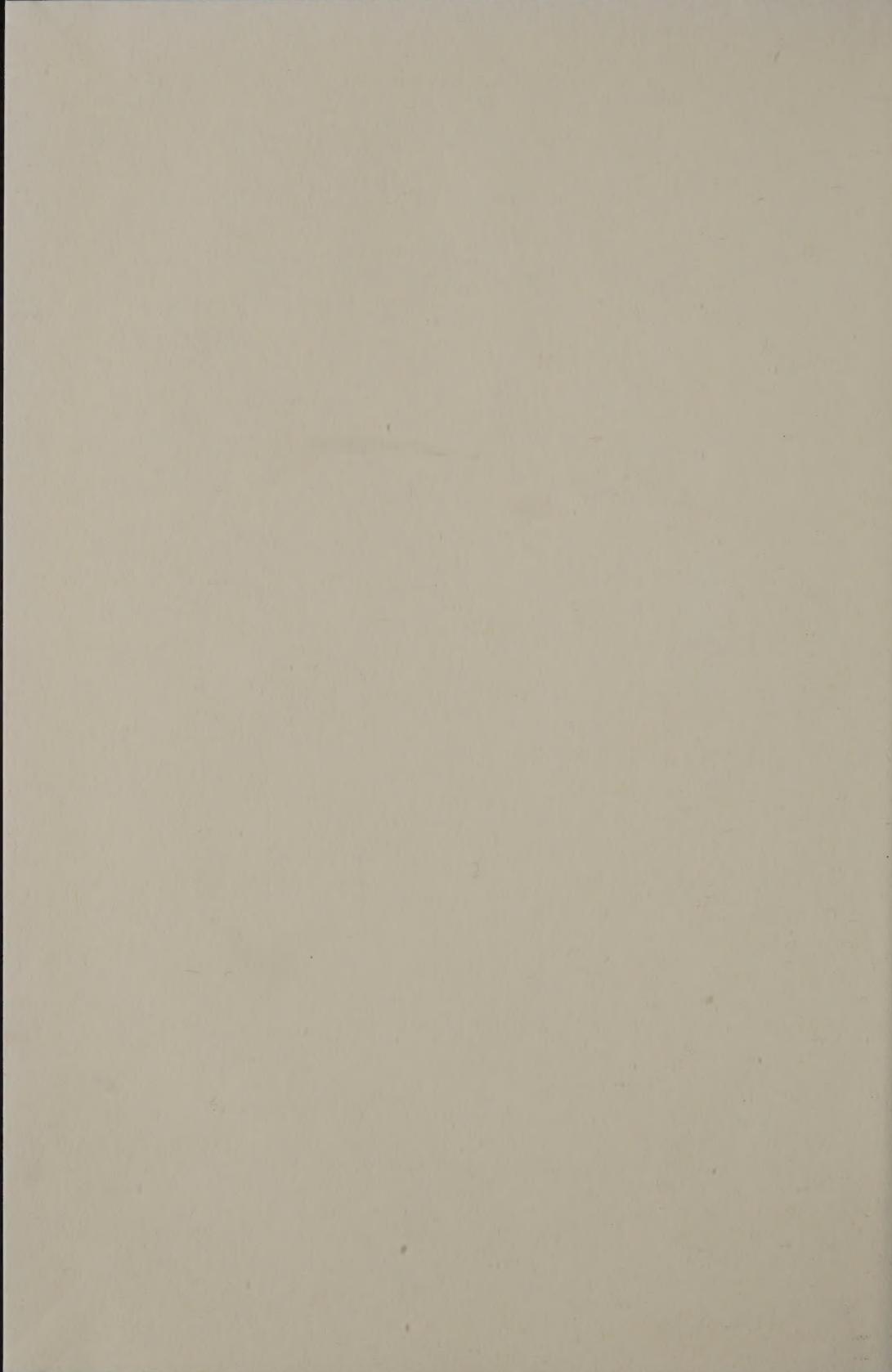












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